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FIRST EDITION

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FATAL ACCIDENT

By Which Everest Leclair Lost Life.

ELEVATOR FELL UPON HIM BREAKING HIS NECK.

Sad Tidings For His Afflicted Family.

Everest Leclaire, aged 32 years residing at 158 Salem street was killed early this morning.

He was employed in the Tremont & Suffolk mill and about 6.30 this morning, just when the mill had started up, one of the elevators fell upon him breaking his neck.

He lived about 10 minutes after the accident. The body was taken to Brooks' rooms.

Deceased was married and leaves a family.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The U. S. Tea Co., is to be dissolved. A great sale commences Tuesday, May 14th and continues until $10,000 worth of the stock is sold. The business will be continued by P. J. Kinsella, one of the present owners.

All kinds of printing done at this office.

Are You Going Home to Ireland?

Do you send money across? If so, call at 324 Market Street, corner of Worthen. Mr. O'Donnell's drafts are payable at any bank in England, Ireland or Scotland. Passage Tickets to and from Queenstown, Galway, Londonderry, Belfast and Liverpool, Glasgow, and all parts of the old country at lowest rates.

James F. O'Donnell,

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THE SILVER WEDDING

Of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyman Observed.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyman entertained their friends at the Highland club last evening the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Over 600 invitations were sent out.

The receiving party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman, assisted by Mrs. Henry Trowbridge of New Haven, sister of Mrs. Lyman, Mrs. W. E. Anna of Providence, Mrs. R. B. Lyman, Mrs. F. L. Boynton, Mrs. G. L. Richardson, Mrs. Valentine Wilson, Miss Parkor, Mrs. E. B. Peirce and Mrs. W. A. Dickinson; and the ushers were Horace Bacon, Harry Duckworth, Marcus Pierce, August B. Fels, C. Harry Lyman, Ralph B. Lyman and Arthur Lyman.

The Page company catered and lemonade was served by Misses Ethel Lyman, Alice Chalifoux, May Wilder and Anna Fels. The reception was held between 7.30 and 10 o'clock. The American orchestra furnished music. Mr. and Mrs. Lyman received many valuable silver gifts.

OPERA HOUSE NEWS

The Baldwin's entertained another large audience last night and many were the answers given to questions put by members of the audience. Interest is growing more in the exhibition given, whatever it may be. Prof. Baldwin will explain his cabinet tricks tonight and many will attend to get the secrets by which he can fool all the committees.

Music Hall.

The Police Inspector is scoring big success at Music Hall. The company is a good one and its performance excellent.

DEATHS.

BARRY—Bridget Barry, an old resident of this city, died yesterday at her home, 4 Brown's court, off Lakeview avenue.

For funerals, wedding or parties go to McManmon, the Palace florist, Prescott street. Telephone No. 3.

Don't You Hear Those Bells.

Any houseowner who pretends to be up to date has at least an electric door bell and if you have not one you do not know what you are missing. It only costs a small sum to have them put in and they hardly ever get out of repair when the work is done by J. F. McElhoin, the electrician located in the basement of the First National bank on Prescott street.

Grand Opening of Willow Dale.

This beautiful picnic resort will be opened for the season tomorrow. The dance hall has been improved in many ways and the grounds are all in good shape. There is a fleet of 20 boats all in good repair, with a steamer. The management have given the use of the dance hall for the day and have engaged a fine orchestra. On Sunday afternoon there will be a grand sacred concert by the National band to which all are invited.

Brush Fire.

This morning at 10 o'clock a telephone alarm was sent to the chemical and protective for a brush fire. The land is owned by Clarence Coburn and is on the Totman road in Pawtucketville.

The Lamson Suit.

The suit of the Lamson Store Service company vs. the Martin Cash carrier for alleged infringement which was begun in 1888 was decided before Judge Colt in the United States Circuit court. The Lamson company lost the suit.

Received Their Salary.

The firemen were paid off at a discount by the Lowell Trust company. There was a proviso attached to the payment.

COMMON COUNCIL

Meeting Called But None Takes Place.

THE REPUBLICANS ISSUE ANOTHER WINDY MANIFESTO.

They Thresh Over the Old Political Straw.

Mayor Courtney called another meeting f the common council, last evening, but as usual none was held. The republicans kept up their childish antics and refused to go in.

Every democrat was present at the appointed time, but only half a dozen republicans were on hand.

Of course no meeting was held because of the action of the republicans and shortly before 9 o'clock the members left the building.

The republicans are adepts in issuing manifestos. They have issued another which makes the third or fourth appeal to the public for justification.

The democrats have issued none of these documents as none is necessary to show their readiness to do business. The republicans thresh over the old straw again, lay particular stress upon their affidavits and their right to the offices filled by joint convention.

The offices of course constitute the sole consideration. They want to fill those before doing business. They may wriggle and try to put the matter in a different light as much as they please; but their action and policy ever since inauguration day speak more forcibly than their affidavits or their windy manifesto.

Here is a characteristic sample of this morning's manifestos:

"The democrats say to the republicans in effect: 'The court says I have stolen your dinner, but I appeal from the decision and do not consent to have it finally decided until after I have eaten the food in question.'"

The "food" or the offices rather is what the republicans want first of all.

They cast upon Mayor Courtney the imputation that he is not sincere in his efforts to effect a conciliation. That is the generosity that might be expected in return for the straight forward and courteous manner in which Mayor Courtney has endeavored to persuade the republicans to do business.

Some of the morning papers attach too much importance to the alleged conference of two office holders at city hall, with two Republican councilmen. It may have meant something or nothing; but it would be presuming too much to say that it will result in the solution of the present difficulties.

Civil Service Examination.

Twenty-one out of twenty-four who took the civil service examination for the position of water inspector, passed successfully. John F. Egan got the highest rank, 88.20.

The Low Railroad Fares.

Tomorrow will be the first day on which the public at large will take advantage of the low fares to the suburbs. The cars will run almost to Lakeview while the Chelmsford lines and that to Billerica will be well patronized. It should be remembered that the five cent fare is good only from the square, outward in any one direction. If it were otherwise a passenger could ride from Lakeview to Billerica or North Chelmsford for a nickel.

THE HAVERHILL TEAM BEATEN

IN THE GAME ON THE FAIR GROUNDS YESTERDAY.

Cudworth Shows His Old Time Disposition to Correct the Umpire—Score 8 to 3.

'Twas the same thing over again. Even the Haverhills with popular Jim Cudworth were obliged to accept a defeat from unconquerable ball players.

Yet the game was not one sided by any means for since Cudworth has taken them in charge the Haverhills have improved greatly and will not remain in last place long.

Yesterday's game was improperly advertised and as a result the attendance was not over three hundred. Those who were there, however, received their money's worth for they were treated to an almost perfect fielding game three errors only being made.

Of course the principal attraction with the visitors was "Cuddy" the well known Hogan of this city, and many of his brother Hogans were on hand to greet the old man with a smile, threw up their hands whenever he came to the bat. Cudworth is a fine first baseman, but owing to an injury received Tuesday, played out in center field. He made one magnificent catch and another not quite so difficult and he also made an error. His throwing from the outfield betokened a case of "glass run" which undoubtedly will come around all right.

When "Cuddy" started one of his old time, good-natured kicks at the umpire, the latter who is a star in his line, turning to the grand stand, remarked: "He's the same old Cudworth."

A feature of the game was the double play by Van Alstyne and Flanagan in the eighth inning. With a man on second a hot grounder was batted to Van Alstyne who fielded it and held the ball so that the man on second couldn't run. Then by a quick throw he put out the man at first and Flanagan returning him the ball equally rapidly caught the player who tried to get from second to third.

Both sides scored in the first inning McCarthy got first on balls. So did Tebeau. Flanagan made a hit and this with a wild throw brought in two runs, Flanagan stealing second. Johnson brought him in with a hit.

Haverhill got hit one in the opening inning. Nash, the first man up hit the first ball for three bases and afterwards scored on Myers out, Long to Flanagan.

In the second, Lowell obtained more runs. With a man out, Long got his base and after McCarthy had died out, scored on Tebeau's hit. The latter stole second and came in on Flanagan's hit. Johnson made a two-bagger, but forced Flanagan at third.

Lowell scored three more in the fifth on a base by Coyle, hits by Van Alstyne, Sullivan, Hawley and Long and an error. They didn't score again.

In the sixth, Haverhill earned a run on single by Gorman and a three-bagger by Woods. They also got one in the seventh on singles by Cudworth and Hutchinson and a passed ball.

The final score was 8 to 3.

The score:

LOWELLS.	AB.	R.	B.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
McCarthy, m	4	1	3	0	2	0	0
Tebeau, 2	4	2	2	2	3	2	1
Flanagan, 1	5	1	3	3	11	1	0
G. Johnson, s	6	0	2	3	1	3	0
Coyle, l	4	1	0	0	2	0	0
Van Alstyne 3	2	1	1	1	3	2	0
Sullivan, p	4	1	3	4	0	3	0
Hawley r	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Long, c	3	1	0	0	5	2	0
Totals	35	8	12	14	27	12	1

HAVERHILL.	AB.	R.	B.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
Nash, l	2	1	1	3	1	1	0
Hutchison, 1	4	0	1	1	9	0	0
Myers, 2	4	0	0	0	6	0	1
Hofford, r	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Gorman, 3	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Woods, ss	3	0	2	4	2	2	0
Grant, c	4	0	0	0	3	0	0
A. Johnson, p	3	0	1	1	1	5	0
Hedeman, m	4	1	1	1	2	0	1
Totals	32	3	8	12	27	13	2

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowells	3	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	0—8
Haverhill	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0—3

Summary. Earned runs, Lowell 2, Haverhill 2. Two base hits, G. Johnson, Sullivan. Three base hits, Nash, Woods. Stolen bases, Tebeau 2, Nash, Woods 2. Double plays, Van Alstyn and Flanagan. Bases on balls, McCarthy, Tebeau, Coyle, Van Alstyne 2, Long. Nash 2, Woods, Johnson. Struck out by Sullivan, Hutchinson 2, Hofford 2, Cudworth; by Johnson, G. Johnson, Coyle, Hawley. Wild pitch by Johnson. Passed ball, Long. Time of game, 1h, 45m. Umpire, Hunt. Attendance, 500.

The Game Elsewhere.

CHICAGO, May 10.—The Bostons barely escaped a shutout. They could do nothing with Hutchison, while the Colts batted Wilson in all directions, and scored in each of the six innings he pitched. Although very one-sided, the game was interesting throughout.

Chicago	3	1	1	2	2	3	0	0	2	—14
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1

Earned runs—Chicago, 1. Base hits—Chicago, 21; Boston, 6. Errors—Chicago, 3; Boston, 4. Batteries—Hutchison and Donohue; Wilson and Ganzel.

At Cleveland:

Washington	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	—6
Cleveland	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—5

Earned runs—Washington, 4; Cleveland, 3. Base hits—Washington, 9; Cleveland, 17. Errors—Washington, 3; Cleveland, 5. Batteries—Mercer and McGuire; Wallace and O'Connor.

At Louisville:

Louisville	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—8
New York	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	—4

Earned runs—Louisville, 1; New York, 1. Base hits—Louisville, 10; New York, 8. Errors—Louisville, 4; New York, 3. Batteries—McDermott and Cote; Boswell, Meekin and Van Haltren.

At St. Louis:

Philadelphia	0	6	0	1	2	0	1	4	0	—14
St. Louis	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	—4

Base hits—Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 2. Errors—Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 3. Batteries—Smith and Buckley; Clarkson and Peitz.

At Pittsburg:

Pittsburg	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	—6
Baltimore	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	—5

Earned runs—Pittsburg, 5; Baltimore, 4. Base hits—Pittsburg, 12; Baltimore, 10. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Baltimore, 2. Batteries—Colcolough, Hart and Kinslow; Gleason, Hoffer and Robinson.

At Lewiston—New Bedford, 23; Lewiston, 8.

At Augusta—Kennebec, 14; Pawtucket, 8.

At Portland—Fall River, 7; Portland, 1.

At Lawrence—Lawrence, 11; Nashua, 7.

At Fitchburg—Fitchburg, 23; Salem, 12.

At Bangor—Brockton, 5; Bangor, 4.

Association Standing.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Per cent. won.
Lowell	8	1	9	.888
Fitchburg	6	3	9	.666
Lawrence	6	3	9	.666
Salem	4	5	9	.444
Nashua	2	7	9	.222
Haverhill	1	8	9	.111

The Young Centrals have organized as follows: T. McGuane, c; B. Rhodes, p; F. Breen, 1b; L. Traughty, 2b; J. Duffy, ss; W. Crotty, 3b; J. Heeps, rf; W. Keenan, lf; J. McLaughlin, cf. They would like to hear from any team under 13 years. Address B. Rhodes, 2 Fulton avenue.

Miss Maud E. Paradis has accepted a position as organist at the Methodist church in Newtonville.

2 O'CLOCK

JAMES MARTIN IS THE MAN

WHO JUMPED INTO THE SUFFOLK CANAL.

His Clothes Identified by His Wife—Body Not Yet Recovered.

The man who jumped into the Suffolk canal near the Market street bridge, yesterday, as mentioned exclusively in yesterday's SUN was James Martin. Early last evening, Mrs. James Martin of Fenwick street, identified the coat and hat as those of her husband. Martin, who was about 40 years old, has done little or no work for the past year and was despondent. His body has not been recovered. The grief stricken family has the sympathy of many friends.

THE MULE SPINNERS

Were Not Ready to Take Final Action Last Night.

The Mule Spinners did not meet last evening as they found that matters had not reached a sufficiently mature state to warrant final action.

LOCAL NOTES.

A. E. O'Heir & Co., furniture dealers and auctioneers, 16 Merrimack street.

Mr. Walter Gove has left town to join his parents, who are located at Olympia, Washington.

A number of employes connected with the local postoffice have filed application for back pay for overtime.

Mr. Robert N. Brissett of June street, was pleasantly surprised by his friends at his home, Thursday evening.

Those who use a hose for watering their premises should read the order of the water board in regard to the prohibited hours.

Isaac L. Libby observed the 31st anniversary of his appointment on the police force yesterday. Isaac is hale and hearty and we hope he will observe many more anniversaries.

The Lowells are a fine looking set of men. Did you get one of those elegant souvenir pictures of the team given away with THE SUN? If you didn't you can get one for a cent at this office.

The engineer of the Boston & Maine company submitted a plan yesterday by which the upper crossing on Lawrence street might be abolished. The plan was not satisfactory to the city civil engineer, nor, it is said, to the grade crossing commissioners. It was decided that the city engineer and the engineer of the railroad company should consult regarding the plan to be submitted to the commissioners.

At the annual meeting of the Branch street church the following officers were elected: Clerk, James M. Butler; treasurer, Noble M. Charlton; auditors, B. B. Jacques, J. M. Butler; collector, F. G. McGregor; finance committee, F. G. McGregor, Noble M. Charlton, B. B. Jacques, Mrs. Hattie M. Collins, Mrs. James R. Cove; music committee, Miss Annie A. Leach, W. W. Bowen, B. B. Jacques; deacons, W. F. Hills, F. G. McGregor, B. B. Jacques, W. W. Bowen; baptizing committee, Miss Amanda M. Ekestrom, Mrs. Herbert Dimock, Mrs. Hattie M. Collins, Charles S. Young, Noble M. Charlton, George H. Williams; standing committee, pastor, deacons, F. T. Fletcher, Mrs. F. G. McGregor, Mrs. Georgiana Foss, James M. Butler.

Obian Social Club.

The May party of the Obian Social club was held in Wells' hall, last evening, and was a very pleasant affair. Joseph E. Burns was general manager, James H. Corcoran floor director and they were assisted by Peter H. Kerrigan, Joseph Gately and a staff of aids.

Vespers at Manchester.

The Vespers went to Manchester, last night and were entertained by the gymnasium team of that city with a bowling contest. The Lowell boys won by 26 pins, and after the game a social time was enjoyed in the Press club. The score:

Vespers—Thorpe, 501; Grover, 482; J. K. Whittier, 467; S. T. Whittier, 490; Corwin, 507: Total 2417.

Gymnasium Team—Gay, 464; Downer, 487; Currier, 484; Martin 492; Connor, 484: Total 2391.

If the White Mahatmas

were asked who sells the best tea and coffee for the least money, their knowledge would be very limited unless they answered, Jas. McCarron & Co., opp. the post office, on Gorham street.

This Morning's Fire.

The alarm from box 129 at 7.45 this morning called the fire department out to Methuen street where a mattress was on fire in a tenement.

The damage was slight.

How Drury Does It.

Agent Drury this morning shot one of the dogs that fought yesterday. The animal was a wreck and one shot put it out of trouble. Accent on the one.

Are You Tired?

Do you find that your sleep is not refreshing, that you have no appetite for your food, and that your strength is waning? If so, you may depend upon it your blood is in an impure and impoverished condition. That is why you have that tired feeling. That is why you are

Nervous, Irritable

and unable to rest. Begin at once to purify and enrich your blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and you will then feel like going forward with your work. This medicine will give you strength and vigor, because it will make pure, rich blood upon which strength and vigor depend.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Is the Only True Blood Purifier

Prominently in the public eye today.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills, biliousness, headache. 25c.

AMERICANS' OPPORTUNITY.

Manufacturers Likely to Receive Profitable Orders From the Orient.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Large opportunities for the introduction of American machinery and the investment of American capital are offered by the peace agreement Japan just effected with China. A provision is made that China shall hereafter be open to the introduction of all forms of modern machinery, and that such machinery shall be admitted free of duty.

American cotton machinery should benefit especially from the new opening presented, and also telephones, electric lights, printing presses and many other devices of civilization which heretofore have been kept out of China. The Emperor of China has heretofore prohibited the introduction of modern machinery. As a result, the Chinese are using wooden plows, similar to those used centuries ago. Modern tools are included under the head of machinery and mechanical devices, so that the American plow and all other implements and tools will enter China free of duty. It is said that cotton machinery will be brought at once into extensive use, thus enlarging the demand for the cotton of our southern states.

The Chinese use so much cotton that the emperor granted a monopoly of using cotton machinery to the viceroy of the southern provinces of China. He has since produced large quantities and has prevented the British and Americans at Shanghai and elsewhere from using similar machinery. Now, however, the viceroy's monopoly is at an end.

Traynor Re-elected President.

MILWAUKEE, May 11.—The A. P. A. convention elected supreme officers as follows: W. H. J. Traynor, Detroit, president; Judge J. H. Jackson, Fort Worth, Tex., vice president; E. H. Dubar, Boston, secretary of state; J. M. Taulbee, Covington, Ky., chaplain; G. T. Beatty, Detroit, secretary; F. C. Campbell, Minneapolis, treasurer. The report of the committee upon an international declaration of principles and the extension of the order to any and all the countries of the world was adopted unanimously. The organization will thus become international and will have supervision over the various bodies of the world. The platform of the order, as adopted and promulgated at the annual session a year ago at Des Moines, was reaffirmed as the principles of the organization, no changes being made.

England to Newfoundland.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 11.—Governor O'Brien has received dispatches from England, intimating that the imperial ministry is willing to give favorable consideration to certain suggested conclusions on the part of Great Britain toward consummating the union of Newfoundland and Canada, provided that the Newfoundland government party would guarantee to pass a measure settling the French shore question satisfactorily to Great Britain and France. The Whiteway party will probably agree as required.

Shot In the Head.

NASHUA, May 11.—Joseph Deshanue's children were playing on Worcester street when Leon Tarren came along and got into some trouble with them. He began to cuff them when Deshanue objected. Tarron drew a revolver and deliberately fired two shots at the father of the children, one of which entered his head just above his right eye and was embedded in the forehead. Later it was extracted at the hospital. Tarren escaped.

Will Frances Confirm the Story?

CHICAGO, May 11.—A story is floating around in women's temperance circles to the effect that Miss Frances Willard may be led to the altar before autumn. The gentleman in the case is alluded to as "an Englishmen of wealth and position and of prominence in reform work across the water." Miss Willard is now in England. She will pay a flying visit to this country in October and return abroad.

May Come Off In Virginia.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—An evening paper is authority for the statement that members of Duval Athletic club of Jacksonville, Fla., have been looking over ground in various states where the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill could best take place and finally have selected a location at Carlin Springs, Va.

Finding Plenty to Do.

AUGUSTA, May 11.—The work in the office of the state inspectors of factories and workshops has so increased that Governor Cleaves yesterday assigned J. S. Bowdon to duty as assistant to State Inspector Chalk.

Will Have to Sue to Get Advance.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 11.—The deadlock over the school teachers' salaries has been broken, the city auditor approving the payroll. The same salaries the teachers were receiving before the increase was voted by the school board. If the teachers want to get an advance they must sue the city for the difference.

Corporation Pleads Not Guilty.

BROOKLYN, May 11.—Ex-Judge Morris appeared before Judge Moore yesterday and entered a plea of not guilty in behalf of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company, which was indicted for manslaughter for the death of Mary Medinger. The trial was set for June 3.

Report Was Untrue.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—Chairman Gideon of the racing board of the League of American Wheelmen states that John S. Johnson has not been declared a professional, and that no action whatever has yet been taken in Johnson's case.

Board Broke His Neck.

BAR HARBOR, Me., May 11.—John Haynes, a mason, was hit by a board which fell from a derrick, and his neck was broken. He died in about 10 minutes.

Sixteen Dives Raided.

NASHUA, May 11.—City Marshal Eaton made another wholesale onslaught upon the saloons and dives of the city last night. Sixteen were raided.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The revolution is spreading in Ecuador.

Thermometer ranged from 93 to 95 at Augusta yesterday.

Excessive heat in western states has proved beneficial to crops.

Arlington hotel, Montrose, Colo., was burned. One man perished.

Stockholders of the Boston Beer company wish to examine the books of the concern.

The 20th anniversary of Edwin Libby Post, Grand Army, was celebrated at Rockland, Me.

The Dead river (Me.) lumber drive is progressing finely and will reach the Kennebec June 1, if not earlier.

Robert Sherard, a newspaper correspondent at Paris, obtained damages for slander from a British consul.

W. S. Coffin, who claims to live in New York city, was arrested at Boston on the charge of passing forged checks.

FOR ENDOWMENT

Recommended by the Y. M. C. A. Convention.

LAYING OF THE CORNER STONE OF BUILDING.

Various Lines of Work Outlined For Future.

SPRINGFIELD, May 11.—The convention of the International Y. M. C. A. was addressed yesterday by President J. M. Coulter of Lake Forest university, Illinois, who discussed "The International Permanent Fund and Its Relations to the International Work."

He said there was great need of coordination in the work of the association on account of the vast area covered by its work, and that there was a need, too, of stimulation. Another need was of propagation, which should carry the work farther than had been done. The two ways of raising money for organizations are by direct annual subscriptions, which tend to make the work uncertain and spasmodic, and the endowment plan, which is the better one.

Chairman Bierce read resolutions favoring the adoption of the report of the international committee, and that the committee should be authorized to spend this year not less than $75,000 for the work, and for 1896 as much more as was necessary. This report was unanimously adopted. Pledges to the amount of over $20,000 were received for carrying on the work. One individual subscription was for $3000.

Corner Stone Ceremonies.

A fitting close to the afternoon was the laying of the corner stone of the new dormitory building for the International Y. M. C. A. training school, which took place shortly after 5 o'clock. The exercises were brief, but impressive.

Charles H. Barrows of Springfield introduced the speakers of the occasion. A portion of the Scriptures was read by George E. Day, vice president of the Alumni association. This was followed with invocation by D. A. Bridge.

The formal service of laying the corner stone was performed by Frederick B. Pratt, chairman of the international committee. He said, in part: "Before I place the last bit of mortar upon this foundation that will bind this stone, I want you to think for a moment what the laying of this stone signifies. There are assembled here representatives of the Y. M. C. A. from all over the country. Of all the general secretaries of the country, about 20 per cent are graduates of the Y. M. C. A. training school.

"This institution is a standard of Christian manhood to which young men may attain. It is very fitting on the occasion of this international convention that we should lay the corner stone of this building, which is so vitally connected with the Y. M. C. A." After placing the last trowel of mortar upon the bricks, Mr. Pratt remarked: "I now declare this stone well and truly laid."

This was followed with a brief address by Robert Weidensall. He said: "It was necessity that suggested this great work which we represent. Not many years ago the Y. M. C. A. secretary would not pass muster with the trained secretary of today. Since the founding of those schools Y. M. C. A. work has been raised and elevated to a higher plane. There is unlimited demand for these workers, and these institutions are indispensable."

Following this address, the hymns "How firm a foundation" and "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow" were sung by the students.

The Evening Session.

Last night the subject of the evening was "The Relation of the Association to the Foreign Mission Cause." The principal speakers were Rev. Dr. Barton of Boston; David McConaughy, Jr., of Madras, India; D. W. Lyon, secretary-elect for China, and Louis Hich, secretary-elect for Ceylon. The tenor of the addresses was an earnest plea for Y. M. C. A. work in foreign countries, particularly as a means of educating the natives.

Used Church's Name.

ALBANY, May 11.—Wesley A. Campbell was arrested here yesterday for getting printing done at a local job office and having it charged to the First Baptist church. He arranged for a song service in the First Baptist church without permission. Mrs. H. A. Fuller of Malden, mother-in-law of Campbell, has informed Chief Wallard that she believes Campbell has obtained a strange power over his wife by drugging her.

Hot Ashes Started the Blaze.

BANGOR, May 11.—A wooden structure, owned by the Bangor Gas company and containing 600 tons of soft coal, 200 barrels of coal tar and several thousand bushels of coke, was destroyed by fire yesterday. A toolhouse and lime kiln were also practically destroyed. The fire was caused by dumping hot ashes upon the floor of a woodshed. Loss, $10,000.

Brice Fighting Free Silver.

LIMA, O., May 11.—Senator Brice has issued a circular letter protesting against the adoption in the Ohio state Democratic convention of any resolution endorsing free silver. Brice accuses Chairman A. W. Thurman, Secretary W. A. Taylor of the state executive committee and other free silver men of working to secure delegations for this purpose.

Trouble Tided Over.

AMESBURY, Mass., May 11.—A settlement was effected yesterday between the striking operatives of the American Hat company by the concession on the part of the company to an increase in wages, although not so great a one as was at first demanded.

Du Maurier to Visit Us.

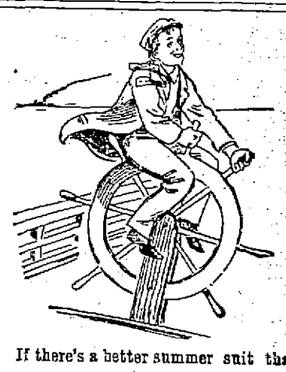
BOSTON, May 11.—A cablegram received in this city announces that Du Maurier, author of "Trilby," will sail for America within a few days to settle the disputes over copyrights and the rights to dramatize his novel, claimed by rival play producers.

Wheelman Wahl's Feat.

PUEBLO, Colo., May 11.—L. C. Wahl of Colorado Springs broke the world's 50-mile road bicycle record yesterday, riding the distance in 2h. 15m. The previous American record for 50 miles was 2h. 30m. 40s.

Another Start.

SOLON, Me., May 11.—The Kennebec drive, which has been hung up here for several days, was again started over the falls yesterday, and a large number of extra men are employed on the work of getting them down river. A heavy rain is necessary to get the short crop to the mills.



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166 CENTRAL STREET.

THE BAY STATE LEGISLATURE

THE BILL TO ABOLISH DEATH PENALTY REJECTED.

Other Matters of General Interest in the Commonwealth.

BOSTON, May 11.—The question of substituting for an adverse committee report a bill to abolish the death penalty came up as unfinished business. Substitution was refused—29 to 100. The yeas and nays were ordered, and substitution was refused—43 to 125—and the committee report accepted. The bill to authorize the city of Northampton to accept a gift of an opera house was passed to be engrossed after being so amended that it shall take effect when accepted by the city council and mayor. The resolve directing the state board of health to prepare a plan of sewage disposal for Salem and Peabody was passed to be engrossed. The bill providing for a reconstruction of the state house and the bill to provide for preserving and extending the front were both rejected.

One of the President's Duties.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—For one hour and twenty minutes yesterday afternoon President Cleveland shook hands with the delegates to the southern Baptist convention. There was an awful crush.

Under a Block of Granite.

CONCORD, N. H., May 11.—A block of granite weighing a ton fell on the left leg of William H. Perry yesterday afternoon. His leg was badly injured and his entire nervous system shattered.

Quite Common In Kentucky.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 11.—Bert Hall, who keeps a grocery store, shot and killed his clerk, Volney Baird. The latter's undue intimacy with the former's wife was the cause of the murder.

Gingham Mills Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—The Langdell gingham mills were damaged last night to the extent of $100,000. Four hundred hands are thrown out of employment.

Banks and State House Closed.

AUGUSTA, May 11.—Arbor day was observed only in the closing of the banking institutions and a general holiday with the state house attaches.

Gresham Losing Ground.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Secretary of State Gresham is not so well. The hot weather has brought back a touch of his old enemy, malaria.

Good-By to Police Justices

ALBANY, May 11.—Governor Morton has signed the New York city police magistrates bill, which legislates the New York city police justices out of office.

"Special arrangements can now be made at the Traders' National Bank for depositing valuable articles for safe keeping during your absence from the city this summer. Only a nominal charge is made for this service."

Bank open 8 a. m., to 4 p. m., Saturday 8 a. m., to 1 p. m., 7 to 9 p. m. 30 Middlesex street.

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Best 10c. Londres Cigar on Earth.

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EDW. COGGER & CO. Sells forty cable feet of mill-kind lug for $1.00. Try a load. Call or send postal. Yards: 155 Church Street and 23 Concord Street.

THE SUDDEN HEAT

Causes Apprehension to the Western Farmers.

SOME HEAVY RAIN AND WIND STORMS

Play Havoc West of the Mississippi River.

KANSAS CITY, May 11.—One of the worst sand and dust storms ever known prevailed in Oklahoma and at one or two points in Kansas yesterday. At Pittsburg, Kan., comparatively no outdoor work could be accomplished. A duststorm blew nearly the entire afternoon, caking everything in its path. The ground is locked and all crops are suffering for want of rain.

At Guthrie, O. T., a terrific windstorm from the north struck the city yesterday afternoon, and the temperature fell rapidly. The air suddenly became dark with dust and sand and for a time the people sought their cyclone cellars in fear of a twister.

At Kingfisher, O. T., a storm of great vehemence raged from 1 o'clock yesterday until late last evening. The forenoon had been intensely hot. Shortly after 12 o'clock a norther came up with remarkable suddenness, driving things before it with fearful velocity. For five hours the storm kept up with unabated fury, the temperature during that time falling 37 degrees. The sand carried before the storm drifted like snow, while the dust and debris caught up made the atmosphere impenetrable and pedestrianism extremely dangerous.

It is believed nobody in this vicinity was hurt, though worse reports are likely to come from the country towns, which are known to have been struck by the storm.

The town of Hennessy was also struck, but the extent of the damage suffered there is not known.

Buildings Wrecked.

MEDFORD, Wis., May 11.—A tornado damaged property here to the amount of $15,000. The east side of the Lutheran church steeple was blown down. Mauer's bakery building, Dunke Bros.' cigar factory, Shapira's dry goods store, the Hotel Winchester and the fair ground buildings were wrecked. No fatalities occurred.

Remarkable Change In Temperature.

CHIPPEWA Falls, Wis., May 11.—Thursday the thermometer stood 95 in the shade. In the evening it began to grow cooler, followed by a cold rain and hail. Yesterday the thermometer stood at freezing, and there are cold northwest winds and rain. The danger to the gardens and fruit buds is great.

Getting Still Colder.

CUMBERLAND, Wis., May 11.—The heaviest rain for two years fell here and the temperature dropped from 92 degrees in the shade to 50 degrees, and is still falling rapidly.

Of Interest to Agriculturists.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The May returns of the department of agriculture show an increase in wheat of 1.5 points from the April average. Winter rye, like wheat, has advanced nearly two points since last month. The average condition of winter barley is 94, against 82.3 in the month of May, 1894. The condition of spring pasture is 89.7, of mowing lands 89.4. The proportion of spring plowing done May 1 is reported as 82.8 per cent, against 83.5 last year and 73.4 in 1893.

Big Property Changes Hands.

PROVIDENCE, May 11.—The biggest real estate deal ever made in Rhode Island was completed yesterday, when the Grosvenor estate in this city was sold for nearly $1,000,000, or at the rate of $30 a square foot. The purchasers were Boston capitalists, who will erect a 10-story building, covering 22,000 square feet, at a cost of $1,000,000. The sum of $25,000 was deposited yesterday as a forfeit, and the balance will be paid within three days.

New Force on Duty.

PORTLAND, May 11.—The police muddle was brought to a close last night by the officers of the old force retiring by order of Mayor Berry. He sent a letter to City Marshal Rowe to deliver up all property belonging to the department to the police commissioners. Chief Engineer Marden has also delivered over the fire alarm keys to the new officers. The city is now guarded by the officers of the new force.

Property Holders Object.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., May 11.—Chancellor Rowell of the state supreme court has ordered the Brattleboro Street Railway company to show cause, if any, why an injunction should not be issued against the company according to the prayer of property holders, who dispute the right of the road to build a trolley line under their charter obtained from the legislature in 1888.

President Suspected of Crookedness.

DETROIT, May 11.—A suit, in which an accounting of the Michigan Mutual Life Insurance company and the removal of President Oscar Looker are prayed for, was begun here yesterday. The bill alleges that for 10 years past Looker has manipulated the company's business in his own interest and with intent to defraud the stockholders.

Wanted to "Sling" the Mayor.

CHICAGO, May 11.—In the mayor's office yesterday a discharged employe, Philip Chester, made a rush for the mayor, yelling all sorts of threats, but was overpowered by clerks. The noise frightened the people in city hall, and in the rush for safety several were knocked down and trampled upon. The mayor was unhurt.

Watching Mongolians.

BOSTON, May 11.—Orders were sent out by the treasury department yesterday to the various custom officers along the border calling for renewed efforts from the officials to prevent smuggling, and in particular the unlawful entry of Chinese, into the state.

Explosion and Fire.

NEW BEDFORD, May 11.—An explosion of chemicals in a dye house here started a lively blaze, which spread to three adjoining buildings. Loss, $9000. Louis Pihl was severely burned, but will recover. A fireman was slightly injured by a falling ladder.

Explosion and Death In a Coal Mine.

TRINIDAD, Colo., May 11.—An explosion of coal dust in Mine 10, near this place, resulted in the instant death of four men.

Government Will Fight For It.

PORTLAND, May 11.—In 1891 congress appropriated $19,000 to establish a light and fog signal station at Two Bush island. The island belongs to C. F. Guptill, who refuses to sell it for the price the government is willing to pay. The government has therefore begun condemnation proceedings against Guptill.

BANFFY SUSTAINED.

Emperor Francis Joseph Will Communicate With the Vatican.

BARON BANFFY.

VIENNA, May 11.—There is no danger now of an immediate crisis. Emperor Francis Joseph has decided that representations will be made to the Vatican in regard to the proceedings in Hungary of Mgr. Agliardi, the papal nuncio at Vienna, who went about the country denouncing the ecclesiastical bill. Baron Banffy, the Hungarian prime minister, who protested against the nuncio's course, will receive a high decoration.

Must Be Promptly Paid.

PARIS, May 11.—M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs, has invited the leading financiers to meet to consider the impending Chinese loan, the ways in which the bourse might co-operate and the conditions on which French capital might participate. Russia, France and Germany, in return for Japan's pliancy in acceding to their demands, practically engaged to hasten, if not ensure, the punctual payment of the war indemnity. It will not be surprising if the loan should be £100,000,000 sterling.

'Twas a Short One.

LONDON, May 11.—Jem Smith and Ted Pritchard fought last night for the heavyweight championship of England, £200 a side and a purse. The decision was to be given to the best man in 20 rounds. In the second round Smith got in a severe blow on Pritchard's body, and soon knocked him out of the ring. Pritchard was unable to respond to the call of time and the fight was awarded to Smith.

Duty on Beer Restored.

LONDON, May 11.—The house of commons adopted the proposal made by the chancellor of the exchequer reimposing a duty of 6 pence a gallon on beer, which will convert the estimated deficit of £319,000 into a surplus of of £181,000.

England May Be Heard From.

SHANGHAI, May 11.—France has formally protested against Japan annexing the island of Formosa, and has preferred a number of prior claims. It is regarded as certain that Great Britain will strongly resist France's claims.

Spain Was Interested In Formosa.

MADRID, May 11.—Spain's adhesion to the three powers that protested to Japan against the annexation of territory in Manchuria was promised only on condition that the powers induced Japan to abandon Formosa.

In Her Native Land.

BELGRADE, May 11.—Ex-Queen Nathalie arrived here yesterday, after having been in exile four years. She was met by her son, King Alexander and a vast and enthusiastic crowd.

Wilson at the Head.

LONDON, May 11.—The new board of directors of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada yesterday elected Charles R. Wilson president and Joseph Price vice president.

A Suspicious Death.

BROCKTON, May 11.—William Maher died Thursday after a sickness since Saturday last. There are some suspicious circumstances connected with his death, and the police authorities are investigating the case. It is learned that Maher went into the Tipperary district Friday afternoon last to visit friends, and while there got into a fight. There were severe scratches on his face as though made by finger nails. The doctor saw that erysipelas had set in and treated him for it. Maher grew worse and died Thursday.

Mills to Close Down.

PROVIDENCE, May 11.—All the Providence mills, from present indications, will close tonight for an indefinite period, unless the operatives consent to go to work at the old schedule within a very few days. Superintendent Ward of the Riverside mills said that the manufacturers had agreed not to open their mills on Monday unless the help came to work today, and that every mill stood ready to keep the agreement.

No Light on Missing Funds.

HARTFORD, May 11.—The little black box belonging to the late O. H. K. Risley of Willimantic was opened yesterday. It was supposed that the box contained some sensational evidence regarding the disposition of the large amount of money Cashier Risley was short in his connection with the First National bank. The box held a few securities, certificates of stock, etc., such as might be in any private box, but nothing in it threw any light on the missing bank funds.

For Alleged Breach of Contract.

NEW HAVEN, May 11.—Vernon Somers attached the box-office receipts and scenery of Miss Pardee last night in a suit to recover damages on a broken contract which she made, as he alleges, with him to play in her show of "Bobby Melville of London," which was first presented here last night. Tw deputy sheriffs are in charge of the receipts. There was a crowded house.

Sensation Discredited.

NEW YORK, May 11.—A report that Perry Belmont is at present in Paris and is about to be married to an American lady recently divorced in this country, who is also there, is entirely without foundation.

Varnish Plant Burned.

AKRON, O., May 11.—Fire started from an explosion in the chemical department at the Imperial Varnish company's plant yesterday, and the entire plant was ruined. The loss will reach $60,000.

Ten Per Cent Advance.

WHEELING, May 11.—Four thousand steel workers employed in the Riverside and Wheeling, Belmont and Top mills, are to be given an increase in wages averaging 10 per cent.

Two Men Badly Burned.

FALL RIVER, May 11.—Fire from an explosion of naphtha in Mrs. Monarch's dye house slightly damaged the place, but Walter Monarch and Joseph Norton were badly burned.

Two Firebugs.

WISCASSET, Me., May 11.—Grant Lewis and Willie Poor were yesterday convicted of burning the summer residence of Dr. J. W. Toward, near Boothbay.

Got Out of the Way.

NEWBURYPORT, May 11.—The grand jury yesterday indicted Naylen Cohen for arson. Cohen's tailor shop in Lynn was burned, and the circumstances led the police to issue a warrant for Cohen's arrest. He left Lynn at the time, however, and his whereabouts are unknown.

THE TIDE TURNS

Business Prosperity Now Evident Abroad.

SPECIAL ACTIVITY IN THE FOOD PRODUCTS.

Still Higher Prices For Metals and Leather.

The event of the week is the demoralization of foreign exchange, caused by enormous sales of bonds.

Besides a sale of $10,000,000 Manhattan and other railroad bonds through the syndicate, large purchases on foreign account have been recorded for some weeks, so that the aggregate probably exceeds $50,000,000 since the sale of governments. Safety for the summer means much for all business, and the syndicate deems it so fully assured that it distributed 40 per cent of the money advanced by the associates, which relieves a large amount to stimulate operations in securities and products.

Crop prospects also have greatly improved, and this is of still higher importance, as it will do much to determine the character and volume of all business after summer uncertainties are over. In addition, business is reviving, though the gain in great industries is retarded by many strikes.

Wheat and Pork Products.

Sales of wheat for the week have been 34,000,000 bushels. Thursday brought new activity. Wheat had fallen 2½ cents, but rose 2 cents that day. Western receipts were 1,667,169 bushels, against 1,251,761 last year, and Atlantic exports, flour included, 1,615,051 bushels, against 2,214,041 last year. In three weeks since the rise in wheat these exports have been 5,160,121 bushels, against 7,849,971 last year.

Pork has fallen 25 cents a barrel, lard 20 and hogs 30 cents per 100 pounds.

Cotton is lower, and receipts, in spite of familiar predictions of a great decline, still exceed those of 1892.

Labor Troubles.

The industries were distinctly gaining when strikes began, which have spread quite widely. Garment workers in several cities and Pocahontas coke workers are still out, with several thousand woolen workers near Providence. Other woolen mills, and the furnaces in the Shenandoah and Mahoning valleys, which were making 25,000 tons a week, have stopped, and the Illinois steel works, the largest western concern, so that works are directly affected which produced 20 per cent of the entire output April 1. The Amalgamated association also proposes a struggle over the new wage scale.

The Metal Markets.

The output of iron still exceeds the consumption, but has fallen 1578 tons weekly in April to 156,554 May 1. Bessemer pig has been raised to $1.00 at Pittsburg, and the general demand for finished products does not equal the recent output, but is distinctly increasing; bars and sheets selling more largely, though structural specifications are disappointingly slow.

Tin has been raised to 14.4 cents and copper to 10¾ by increasing demand.

Advance In Leather.

Hides are in demand at 8¾ cents for western buff, and consequently leather still advances—oil and plow grain ½ cent and hemlock sole 1 cent. In consequence, many makers of shoes are refusing to take orders, being unable to get the prices which will cover past advances and others liable to come. But shipments from Boston continue larger than in any previous year.

Sales of wool for the week are less than in 1892, but larger than in the past two years, though prices do not rise.

Woolens and Cottons.

Rather more demand appears for men's woolens, but cancellations are also more numerous, and imports of woolen goods, with withdrawals from warehouses, were about $19,000,000 in the first quarter of the year, against about $5,000,000 last year.

Cotton goods continue strong, mills being well employed, and they hold heavier stocks than ever of raw cotton bought at low prices.

Business Failures.

The failures this week have been 227 in the United States, against 206 last year.

Canada's Good Showing.

Bradstreet's says: General trade reports from the Canadian Dominion are exceptionally favorable. Toronto reports that advances in cotton, sugar, leather and wheat have increased demand, helped collections and created a buoyant feeling.

The opening of navigation at Montreal and advances in sugar and whisky, due to tariff changes, are additional factors. Quebec city shoe manufacturers are doing a good business. Nova Scotia and New Brunswick report a fair volume of trade and Newfoundland a successful seal fishery. Bank clearings at Winnipeg, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and Halifax equal $21,442,000 this week, a gain of about 16 per cent over last week.

The total of 27 business failures in Canada this week is contrasted with 36 last week.

Milkmen Paid Hush Money.

LYNN, May 11.—Samuel Eaton was arrested last night on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses from Edward Hall, a milkman. Hall states that Eaton stated that he represented the board of health, and that he had tested Hall's milk and found it bad. For $20 he offered to suppress the alleged report. Hall paid the $20, and afterward found that Eaton was not connected with the board of health.

Reached Port All Right.

HALIFAX, May 11.—Steamer Halifax City arrived from London yesterday. Captain Newton says he has not met such gales for 18 months. The steamer has a lot of shells and ammunition in her hold, and the pitching broke them loose, causing considerable anxiety, but they are all right.

Worried Over Fires.

RICHMOND, Me., May 11.—Citizens of this town have awakened to the belief that there is an industrious firebug in the town. Four fires of the last three weeks have been of a mysterious character. State detectives have the matter in charge.

Defender's Crew Practicing.

BRISTOL, R. I., May 11.—The yacht Colonia, from New York, with Captain Hank Haff and crew on board, cast anchor in the harbor last night. Captain Haff and crew will practice on the Colonia until the Defender is launched.

175 Babies Photographed.

Wednesday was babies' day at Freeman's photographic studio, and 175 little tots had their pictures taken. Mr. Freeman wishes to announce that the pictures will be ready for delivery on the 15th inst. Each baby will be presented with one finely finished cabinet free of charge.

He'll sail the ocean blue. Who? The most popular gentleman in Lowell.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

A Girl Shot by Her Lover This Morning.

WHO TURNS THE REVOLVER UPON HIMSELF.

The Whole in Presence of a Large Crowd.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 10.—A horrible tragedy was enacted in front of 318 North Seventh street, this morning, in presence of a large crowd. August Peffer, married and aged 36 years, shot Caroline Herbold, aged 26, unmarried, twice in the face and then blew his brains out. Although married Peffer was desperately in love with the Herbold girl.

She came here from Germany a year ago and worked with Peffer's family until his attendance became so odious that she left her place. She was going to work when shot. She died ten minutes after the shooting.

HANGED IN A BARN.

An Old Man Shuffles Off the Vital Coil.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ROCKVILLE, Conn., May 10.—Edward Hyland, aged 71, hanged himself in his son-in-law's barn this morning. Temporary insanity the cause.

SUICIDE AT ARLINGTON.

John Ireland Shot Himself Through the Head.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ARLINGTON, Mass., May 10.—John F. Ireland of Bennington, N. H., who has been visiting here, shot himself through the heart today. He had been troubled with asthma. A family in Bennington survive him.

STRIKE IN FALL RIVER.

Stafford Mill Weavers Assert That They Are Not Getting Full Wages.

FALL RIVER, May 10.—The weavers in Stafford mill 4, have struck work.

They assert that they are not receiving full wages and also say that one of their committee was discharged after having been to see the superintendent.

It is thought the trouble can be settled in three days.

Bucket Shop Closed.

By Associated Press To THE SUN.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 10.—One of the largest bucket shops in the state, the Pennsylvania Commission company, went under today. Assets, none; liabilities estimated at $5000. The sudden rise in the market is supposed to have caused the failure.

Next Convention at Mobile.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SPRINGFIELD, May 10.—At the session of the international convention of the Y. M. C. A., today, it was announced that the next convention will be held in Mobile.

Appointed Brigadier General.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 10—Col. W. P. Craighill was appointed to succeed Brigadier General Casey and Chief of engineers in the United States army.

Another Suicide.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 10—Herman H. Mertgel, married, aged 38 years, shot himself today. Despondency was the cause.

Boxing Killed in Louisiana.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 10—The Olympic club by a new move has practically killed boxing in this state. It has turned to other sports and offers high prizes for a wrestling match between McLeod and Burns, and a billiard match between Shaffer and Ives.

Cut His Companion's Throat.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WINCHESTER, May 10.—John P. King, a Rochester (N. H.,) electrician, was murderously assaulted in Woburn early this morning by Edward Kearns, his boon companion. Kearns cut King's throat with a razor. The latter is not expected to survive.

The Gladstone Club.

Luke Burke and Mike Sears will have a set to at the Gladstone club on the 17th inst. Dick O'Brien will second Sears. Billy Smith is likely to spar a few rounds. He is training for his fight with Ryan. Burke is under the care of Martin Flaherty.

The Women's Mission.

Rev. Fr. O'Riordan, O. M. I., was able to preach at the Immaculate Conception church, last evening. His subject was "A Mother's Love." A large congregation was present. The women's mission is being a great success.

Off for the Old Country.

The following well known Lowell people will sail tomorrow on the Cunard steamer Pavonia from Boston for the old country: Mrs. Maria McCoy, Roxie Brady and John Smith all booked through J. F. O'Donnell's steamship agency.

A Boy Found.

A three year old boy with light hair and a gingham dress was found at the residence of Mr. Willis Farrington, this morning, 234 Nesmith street.

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A MAN IN THE CANAL

HIS COAT AND HAT BROUGHT TO THE STATION.

Officers Despatched to Investigate the Affair—He Was Seen Floating Down the Canal.

Two boys came into the police station this afternoon and reported that they saw the body of a man floating down the Suffolk canal. They could only see the top of his head, as he was carried along by the current. They brought with them a hat and a coat which they said they found on the bank of the canal and which they claimed belonged to the man they had seen in the river.

Officers Goodwin and Donaldson were sent out to investigate the affair.

Up at the canal quite a crowd gathered and stories were afloat to the effect that a man had committed suicide by jumping into the canal. No one seemed to know who the man was.

A woman on the bridge saw the man sinking and saw him above water from the Jefferson street to the Market street bridge.

It is supposed to have been a case of suicide.

TWO BIG WIRE COMPANIES

To Unite Their Plants for East and West.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 10.—The Call says that two of the largest wire manufacturing companies in the U. S. are to combine. They are the California Wire company and the Washburn & Moen company of Worcester, Mass. The Worcester company will pay $500,000 for the control of the western company's plant. Philip W. Moen of the Worcester company was interviewed by an Associated Press reporter this morning and he partially affirmed the report.

Boston and Maine Railroad.

Winter Arrangement.

WESTERN DIVISION

Commencing Sept. 30, 1894.

TRAINS LEAVE CENTRAL STREET DEPOT, LOWELL.

For Boston, as 6.50, 8.18, 9.30, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05 12.45, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.30, 10.50, a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 6.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.10, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick and Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machisport (via steamer Frank Jones at Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

Southern Division.

On and After Sept. 30, 1894, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:—

For Boston—5.45, 6.30, §6.50, *7.45, *8.50, ¶9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, ¶3.00, 4.30, *5.40, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston.—5.48, 6.34, §6.53, §7.01, §7.18, §7.27, *7.49, *8.07, 9.03 *10.00, 11.03, 12.00a. m., 1.43, *3.03, 4.02, 4.33, *5.21, ¶5.42, *6.28, ‡7.02 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.18, 7.27, 8.00, *9.10 a. m.; §4.25, §6.08 p. m.

For Woburn, §7.01, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, *3.00, 5.46 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., §4.25, 6.03 p.m.

*Express. ¶Northern Depot only. ‡Via Bedford.

For Lawrence — 6.30, 10.00, 2.10, 4.15, 5.50 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—§7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m.

☞Time below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p.m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 1.50, 3.43, 6.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, Antrim, Bennington and Hillsboro', 5.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.57 9.14 (Nashua only), 9.45, a.m.; 12.11, 1.50., 3.43, 5.42, 6.21, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.09, a.m. (to Nashua only), 3 a.m., 2.00, 6.00 8.28, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, 5.42, §8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—1.50 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; †8.43. p.m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; †8.43 p. m.

Quebec Express via White River Junction—8.13, p. m., daily except Sunday.

☞§Daily for Montreal.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent.

H. C. TAFT Gen. Ag't. Lowell.

Water Works Notice.

Attention is called to the following extracts from the City Ordinances:

"The use of water through hose shall be limited to one hour per day,

And is prohibited on the public streets between the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p. m. excepting one hour at mid-day, between 12.30 and 1.30 p. m."

Also: "The occupant of any premises where any waste of water occurs shall be liable to fine and have water shut off from premises."

These rules will be strictly enforced, and all employes of the Water Department will report any infringement coming under their notice. The city is now being furnished with water from the driven wells, and it is desirous to keep up the supply and not return to the river water.

MILES F. BRENNAN, President Lowell Water Board.

Lowell, May 11, 1895.

CHARLES H. FROST, 78 Central Street Dealer in Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Musical Instruments, Violin, Guitar and Banjo Strings, Ammunition, Fire-arms, etc. Fine Watch repairing.

EDWARD CAWLEY, Office, 131 Central Street. Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Coal of all kinds. Also dealer in Wood, Lime, and Cement. Agent for the celebrated Portland drain and sewer pipe. Elevator, Hurd-Street Bridge

COLLECTORS.

RICHMOND STRAIGHT CUT No. 1 CIGARETTES

MADE FROM THE BRIGHTEST, MOST DELICATELY FLAVORED AND HIGHEST COST GOLD LEAF GROWN IN VIRGINIA.

CIGARETTE SMOKERS

Who are willing to pay a little more than the price charged for ordinary trade cigarettes, will find this brand superior to all others.

ALLEN & GINTER, RICHMOND, VA.

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO CO., SUCCESSOR.

A. G. Pollard & Co.,

Merrimack, Palmer, and Middle Streets.

SHIRT WAISTS.

The warm season is with us, and with its advent we show, by far, the most satisfactory array of Shirt Waists we have ever shown, and we have had some big lines in past years, but not to compare with this year's most superior line.

Every conceivable combination of color, and all the best styles and designs, made in the most satisfactory manner.

From the cheapest to the highest cost one, they are made with extra large sleeves; no scrimping anywhere.

Prices 50c., 75c., $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50, and $3.

Don't forget that we can save you time, annoyance and money your Silk Waists.

Merrimack Street, Galler

CORSETS.

We did the right thing in moving our Corset Department to the first floor. People are becoming better acquainted with the best department in the city. It is satisfactory to them, and more satisfactory to us.

Summer Corsets—Coraline, 50c.; Thomson's, 75c.; Thomson, $1; C. Z., $1.75. All alterations made in Corsets free of charge. Corsets fitted.

Merrimack Street, Rear.

UNDERWEAR—All grades of Summer Underwear now in.

Merrimack Street, Left Aisle.

GRADUATING DRESSES.

Perhaps this is a little early to commence to think about what the graduation dress shall be made of. There are a great many materials to look at. Never have we been better supplied to cater to your wants than we are this season, and we know the prices will please you, as they are lower than previous years.

Plain Habutai, Plain China Silk, Cashmere, Plain India Silk, India Twill, Figured Habutai, Henrietta, Crepon, Engadine, Figured India, Lansdowne, Lawns, Twills, Spotted Muslins, Plain Muslins, Swiss Muslins.

Palmer Street, Right Aisle.

GLOVES.

There is a certain satisfaction in buying good things, if the price is right. Everybody who has worn the KASSER PATENT FINGER TIPPED GLOVES will appreciate the above. A guarantee ticket in every pair—if the tips wear out before the gloves, you get a new pair. All colors at 50 and 75c. Black at $1.

We have a full line of Silk Mitts, made by the same firm. (Best that are made.) Black and colors.

A. G. Pollard & Co.,

MERRIMACK, PALMER, AND MIDDLE STREETS.

REMOVED.

DR. BRETON has moved his office from 44 Central Street to more commodious quarters in the Bon Marche Building.

Since his removal hundreds of patients have consulted him and have decided to follow his popular course of treatment. In most instances his patients are men and women, who, after having tested the skill of the best physicians of their choice, have been pronounced incurable. But under Dr. Breton's care they soon revive. After others have failed call and see Dr. Breton.

YOUNG MEN TAKE NOTICE.—If you mentally suffer, or if your nerves are worn out by reason of excesses, errors of youth, go forthwith and consult Dr. Breton, for any delay might work the greatest injury, such as insanity, or consumption, etc.

WOMEN WHO SUFFER from weakness and diseases peculiar to their sex should remember that Dr. Breton guarantees a sure cure in every case, if the patient follows his instructions strictly. The Doctor never publishes testimonials from ladies, but he can produce thousands on application. Go and consult him. Dr. Breton has also a wonderful treatment for premature old men. He has cured some of the best men in Lowell and vicinity. For testimonials call at Dr. Breton's office. All cases will be attended to day or night.

DR. BRETON, Office, Laboratory and Dispensary, Bon Marche Building, Rooms 1 and 2.

OFFICE HOURS—2 to 4, 7 to 9 p.m., Holidays, 9 to 11 a. m. Residence, 21 Eighth St.

T. R. BOLTON, 139 Market Street, Gates' Block. Saddle and Harness Maker, Fine Repairing at the Lowest Rates

J. M. KINGSBURY, No. 373 Bridge Street. Meats and Provisions. Successor to Stront & Kingsbury.

FREE TRIP TO EUROPE FOR THE Most Popular Man in Lowell.

ONE VOTE FOR:

Name.....

Residence.....

Save Your Ballots and Vote for Your Friend.

THE SUN OFFERS

A Free Trip to Europe

AND RETURN

—TO THE—

MOST POPULAR MAN IN LOWELL.

The trip will include transportation from the winner's residence to the depot, thence by train and proper conveyance to the steamer, and by first-class cabin passage to Liverpool or Queenstown, on any steamer of the Cunard line sailing from Boston within a month after the close of the contest.

When the lucky man is ready to return, he will be entitled to a first-class cabin passage on any Cunard steamer sailing from Liverpool or Queenstown, and on landing will be conveyed by train and carriage to his residence in Lowell.

The trip in all its details will be arranged by Mr. James F. O'Donnell, the popular steamship agent and livery man, corner of Worthen and Market streets. Mr. O'Donnell will be pleased to give full particulars and valuable suggestions to any gentleman who would like to make a European trip free of charge.

The gentleman receiving the highest number of votes on the above coupon clipped from THE DAILY SUN will be declared the winner.

Votes must be deposited at THE SUN office with the name and residence plainly marked thereon.

The top ballot only need be marked on a package of ballots (not over a thousand in a package) securely tied. The number claimed should also appear on the package and when found correct will be credited.

The polls will be open until nine o'clock on Saturday evening, June 1st, 1895. The winner will then have ample time to prepare for his voyage, and sail both ways during the most pleasant portion of the year.

Now then vote, vote early, vote often and vote for your friends.

The Honest Opinion

—OF—

An Honest Man

Is what we publish when we state what a well-known citizen said of

Goodale's Beef, Iron and Wine.

He said: "I can testify to the merits of Goodale's Beef, Iron, and Wine. It has helped me and increased my strength."

Prepared and for Sale at

GOODALE'S Drug Store,

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FISKE'S BLOCK.

TO LET.

A nice barn on Livermore street. Keys at office.

FOR SALE—Fixtures for a first-class restaurant, an elegant soda fountain, marble slabs, all new, ranges, all utensils to run the business. Will trade for horses of good equity.

FOR SALE—18-room lodging house of 10 rooms 10 rods from new P. O. Price $300, big trade.

$1800 buys a nice 7-room house, 6000 feet of land. Good stable, in the Highlands. Terms easy.

FOR SALE—4 new houses, never lived in. Prices $1600 to $2400.

FOR SALE—A nice little round built, black pony, weight 800 pounds, sound, kind and a great driver, safe for a lady to drive, also a nice light harness and top side spring buggy in perfect shape. Call at once.

FOR SALE or EXCHANGE—New upright piano, first-class make.

F. L. RICHARDSON. 56 Central Street.

LOTHROP & CUNNINGHAM. 182 Merrimack Street. Photographers, Crayons, Pastels and Water Colors a specialty. All work Guaranteed.

FRANCIS W. QUA. No. 2 Barristers' Hall. Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR SATURDAY, MAY 11.

SUN RISES..... 4 23 | MOON RISES....10 24 PM
SUN SETS..... 6 54 | FULL SEA | ..12 30 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..14 28 | ..... | ..1 00 PM

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Increasing cloudiness and threatening weather; cooler; southerly winds.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; cooler; southerly winds, becoming variable.

LOCAL NEWS.

Vote.

Vote early and often.

Highland Council, Royal Arcanum, will observe its ninth anniversary May 23d.

Vote today. A good lead is everything in a voting contest. Get on top and stay there.

Agent Drury has a stray horse that was abandoned on Monday and was without food for 48 hours.

You can get an elegant souvenir picture of the Lowell base ball team at THE SUN office for one cent.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was Levi Cosman Heilburn 36 to Margaret Jones 37.

Yesterday afternoon J. E. Conant & Co., sold the Alice Donohoe estate, No. 49 Jewett street, to Murty Sullivan for $1292.

Chauncey Depew has declined the invitation of the republican city committee to be present at their annual banquet. His business engagements will not permit him to come here.

If you are in need of anything in the stationery line don't forget Lawler's mark down sale of papers and envelopes for one week only. Good writing paper only 15 cents a pound.

Chief Templar Atwood Allen of Pride of Lowell lodge, I. O. G. T., appointed standing committees last evening and E. S. Varney read a temperance essay on "Slippery Places."

New Hibernian Lodge Probable.

A hearing will be given by the County Board, to-morrow, of the A. O. H., upon an application for permission to form a new lodge of Hibernians. There is some opposition from the older lodges on the ground that a new division is not necessary; but the County Board will decide the question on its merits.

SOME TURF GOSSIP.

Since the erection of the new grand stand at the Fair grounds, and the remodelling of Wannalancit park by Frank Harris, horse trotting has taken quite a boom in Lowell and some good races may be seen here this summer. May be seen, is the expression.

I talked with a Woburn horse owner who has hired stalls at the Fair Grounds, Tuesday, and he informed me that with a little sprinkling, the track would be in fine condition. This man, whose name I believe is Gray, has as pretty a yearling as has been seen on those grounds and it is of fine stock. He also has a number of fast ones here and in Woburn, and believes that there will be good racing here, this summer.

Speaking of the track on the Fair Grounds, a horse owner said to me yesterday, "I saw a horse in the 40 class, on the Fair Grounds a few years ago, apparently unable to strike a faster clip. A few weeks after I saw the same horse do a mile in 19 1-5 at Mystic.

Just at present the local horsemen are wondering which play will pull off the Brooklyn handicap which occurs soon. A number of local sports will go on to see the race.

While talking "horse" with a party of gentleman who had seen numerous races, not long ago, I heard a story told by "Isaac" Mahoney and had I not known that "Isaac" prides himself on his reputation as a truthful man I would have been certain that he and I had seen the same race, though his story came from a New York race track three years ago, while I had seen almost the identical incident happen at a Kentucky fair. Mr. Mahoney's was as follows: "One of the cleverest drivers I have ever seen was a young fellow who was behind a fast horse in a race at New York a few years ago. He had won two heats out of four and his money was being wagered on the out come of the final heat, and by the way a horse was tied with this one for first money. They were driving in pneumatic tired sulkies and the two previous heat winners were at the front all the way round. As they came on the stretch, the wheel on the sulky driven by the man referred to, bent under the axle making a finish apparently impossible.

But the accident didn't bother the driver for in a flash, he was way over on one side throwing his entire weight on the unbroken side of the sulky, this holding up the broken end. The animal kept right along without a break and went under the wire, first by a neck, having lost three or four lengths by the mishap.

The similar incident happened at a county fair in Kentucky last summer, and the writer saw it happen, on one of the hottest days he ever knew.

This race was free for all and the first, two heats were better than 25. The third and fourth were slower, 30 flat being the mark on the last. Then came the final with three horses having got first, one of them who afterwards got first money, having two firsts to his credit. These three were bunched in the last heat with the winner slightly in the lead. At the stretch the wheel on one of the sulkies bent under striking its horse's hind hoof as the animal went along. In an instant, the driver was on the hores back, reins in hand and as he came in under the wire without a break, for second money, the entire attendance arose en masses and yelled like fiends.

EUROPEAN TRIP CONTEST.

Another Lagrange street candidate improves his standing in the contest, for M. J. Horan goes up from 700 to 1350. R. H. Harkins, the well known cigar manufacturer, goes up to 304 this morning. Send in your votes.

John F. Monaghan, Lowell Bleachery.	13,603
P. O'Rourke, 1 Lagrange street	9206
Michael P. Regan, Gorham & Union sts.	8893
John J. Hurley, Suffolk street, baker.	8010
John E. Clancy, 90 Crosby St.	3626
Charles Ablitt, 14 Andrew St.	3412
J. T. Whittaker, Congress St.	2447
John Hughes, Y. M. C. I., A. O. H.	1823
M. J. Horan 13 Lagrange street	1350
Thomas McCaffrey, 81 Bartlett street	710
M. J. Horan, 13 Lagrange	709
James McDonald, 2 Wall street	577
John F. Tansey, 30 Pleasant st	557
Joseph Ashworth, 78 Chambers street	525
E. R. Donovan, 121 Gorham str st	359
Mr. Finnegan, 31 Kidder street	352
R. H. Harkins, Cigar Mfg	304
W. S. Keene, 75 Willow street	291
Owen Tighe, 248 Gorham st	290
Michael F. O'Brien, 507 Market street	240
James McCarron, 44 Gorham street	189
W. Booth, E. Merrimack street	108
John McLaughlin, 47 Humphrey st	86
John J. Leary, 6 Lewis street	70
John Doherty, 85 Beach street	68
Fred Edgell, 240 High st	58
John Boyle, 23 Read street	56
Fred A. Hennessey, 80 Concord street	37
M. J. Lynch, 46 Second avenue	35
Harry Mills, 44 Lilly Ave	32
Thomas Meers, Putnam Market	32
L. Decker, 1096 Bridge street	32
John McIndoe, 7 Chase street	30
George E. Putnam, 26 Read street	30
M. Shanley, 36 Lawrence street	30
Edw. A. Salmon, School St	30
Christopher Whalen, Adams street	27
Walter V. Hickey, pres. M. T. I	23

See ballot on third page.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

Vote now.

If nervous, try Old Hundred cigar.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan bl'd.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

Pianos for cash or instalments at Downing's, 182 Merrimack street.

E. G. Parker will cut the price on coal right and left for the next ten days. See add.

John Murphy of this city is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Sullivan, of Haverhill.

Today is quarter day at the Washington Savings Bank.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Agent Drury arrested a 17 year old girl yesterday on the charge of leading a disorderly life.

THE SUN has a few more of those elegant souvenir pictures of the Lowells left. Call and get one.

E—Z Terms of payments on furniture, carpets and ranges at A. E. O'Heir & Co., opposite old post office.

No gentleman is popular unless the ladies say so. Ladies, vote for the man of your choice and he will carry off the prize.

"Joe,s" closing social will take place at Prescott hall. (Runels' building) next Thursday evening. Music, Hibbard's orchestra.

Ivon Oxide paint, ready for use, six shades, cheap and good, cannot be excelled for durability; sold only at Coburn's, Market street.

Fire in the woods in the easterly portion of Chelmsford yesterday burned over 40 acres of light wood land belonging to Daniel Gage. Several houses were threatened, but were saved.

Notice.

We are selling wall papers at lowest prices. Our window shades are made and hung by Mr. Smith J. Adams. Pictures framed to order at very low prices. Bring in your pictures and see. H. C. McOsker, 123 Central street.

High School Class.

The *High school class of '95, met after* school yesterday and elected the following officers: President, Arthur Spaulding; vice president, Miss Bessie Coburn; treasurer, Edward F. Russell; secretary, Miss Hortense Tabor; sergeant-at-arms, Harry Pearson.

Hospital Aid Association.

A branch of the working People's Aid association will be organized one week from Monday.

It will include the operatives of the Tremont & Suffolk mills. The preliminary steps were taken at a meeting held in the board of trade rooms, last evening, and besides a number of operatives of the Tremont & Suffolk there were present Thomas Collins, Albert C. Richardson, Luke B. Taylor, Joseph Cox and Miss Nellie O'Brien of the Carpet mills, all of whom spoke in favor of the proposition to organize. A representative of St. John's hospital also said a few words, and the following committee was appointed to interest the operatives of the Tremont & Suffolk: M. H. Gaynor, Louis Gaynor, Lemon Gaynor, Leon Camille, Peter Gilbert, Louis Trudil, M. J. Lowe, Frank Lyman, J. J. Ryan, Patrick F. Sexton and M. J. Flynn.

Another meeting will be held one week from Monday.

Hosford Base Ball Amenities.

A very enjoyable party was held in Associate hall, last evening, under the auspices of the Hosford Base Ball club. About 125 couples were present, and despite the warm weather, they seemed to enjoy the dancing. During the evening, lemonade was served to those present. The order contained 27 numbers, and music was furnished by the American orchestra.

The officers were: General manager, John F. McNabb; assistant, Michael A. Cuff; floor director, George E. Schermerhorn; assistant, William J. Collins; aids, Michael F. Hogan, chief, John J. Driscoll, Edward J. Walsh, James H. Morris, Frank R. Brown, William B. Price, Fred H. Schermerhorn, Michael F. Groves, John J. Irvin, Patrick F. Noonan, Edward F. Martin, Charles L. LeClair.

Reception committee—Fred Grendon, chairman, John F. Kelley, William F. Eagan, Thomas E. Bertrain, Arthur E. Hamel, Charles F. McManus, Timothy A. Naud, George L. Adams, Timothy E. Flynn, Wm. A. Smith, treasurer.

POLICE COURT.

Badley, J.

Four drunks were released this morning.

There were 12 in all.

George McKenna got six months in the workhouse and Clarence F. Bragdon got five months.

Mary Roulia was sent to the workhouse for five months.

James McGrade goes to the workhouse for eight months.

A very pretty and respectable appearing young girl was in court this morning on the charge of being a stubborn child. She was placed on probation.

THEY'VE GONE TO BOSTON

Perhaps to Get a Writ of Mandamus From the Supreme Court.

Mayor Courtney and City Solicitor Hogan left for Boston this morning.

Just what is the object of their visit could not be learned but around city hall it was stated that they went down to see about having a writ of mandamus issued to compel the republican councilmen to go into meetings.

At City Solicitor Hogan's nothing could be learned only that the solicitor went to Boston.

City Messenger Cahill said that Mayor Courtney also went to Boston, but as to the purpose of his visit he knew nothing and had nothing to say.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Remains of Veterans in Pauper Graves to to be Removed.

Arrangements are very nearly completed for the Memorial day observance.

A meeting of the committee was held in Post 42 G. A. R., hall, last evening, and Comrade Boies submitted a report, showing that last year 915 graves were decorated and this year the number will reach 947. During the year 6 members of Post 120, 5 of Post 42, and 7 of Post 185 have died.

Comrades Welch of 42, Boies of 120, Fish of 185 were appointed a committee to see that bodies of soldiers buried in pauper graves are removed to proper lots and also to see whether a soldiers' lot could be obtained in the Edson cemetery.

Latest Styles, Newest Weaves.

Louis Alexander, importer and tailor, 65 Central street, has received his new spring and summer suitings, in all the latest shades and makes. A more exclusive stock of the right and elegant isn't to be found.

A Big Line of Specials.

We have made arrangements to give away with our high grade teas a big line of new special presents. See samples in our windows. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

J. E. CONANT & CO.'S SALES

FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 18TH.

Sales Peremptory—Rain or Shine.

Monday.

A splendid building lot at the *corner of* Middlesex street and Livingston avenue, Ward Four. To the highest bidder, no limit, no reserve, rain or shine. Promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell one of the choicest and finest lots of land in Ward Four at public auction. The lot has a frontage of 150 feet on Middlesex street, 150 feet on Livingston avenue; is up above the street; has a fine grove of shade trees; a beautiful line of elm trees in front; a granite foundation already in for both house and stable; is opposite the residence of the Hon. Francis Jewett and the excellent new residence of Mr. Charles Clapp, and contains nearly 23,000 square feet of land. It will be sold subject to the 20 year restrictions placed on every lot of land sold on the Livingstone estate, namely: Only one set of buildings to be erected on the premises and they not to be occupied by more than two families; no buildings to be erected nearer than 20 feet of Middlesex street, or 30 feet of Livingston avenue. No better opportunity for a nice residence, a comfortable home, or a handsome place has been offered in Lowell for several years. The neighborhood is first class; the restrictions prevent any objectionable features; the location is healthy, pleasant and attractive, convenient to reach, accessible to all portions of the city and just far enough away from business; and there's a very agreeable and satisfied feeling when you are on the lot. Livingston avenue is 50 feet wide, runs through the very best portion of the Livingston estate from *Middlesex street to* Princeton street and is destined to be one of the finest residential streets in Ward Four. *Sale absolute, make all inquiries* at the office of the auctioneers, J. E. Conant & Co. F. G. MITCHELL.

Tuesday, 3 P. M.

Guardian's sale by public auction of the John Carroll estate on Lakeview avenue, between Ennell and West streets. Two lots, French roof two tenement house, large stable, and 4835 square feet of land, numbered 619. Also cottage house and 4094 square feet of land, numbered 607. Promptly at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, regardless of the weather and on the premises, I shall sell by virtue of a license issued by the probate court for the county of Middlesex, the following parcels of real estate, to the highest bidders without the least limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever: Lot 1. French roof house of two tenements supplied with city water, sewerage, water closets, etc.; all in fair order and repair. Good stable for three horses, wagon room and store room. The lot has a frontage of 40 feet and a depth of 120 feet. Lot 2. Cottage house of 5 rooms with city water, sewerage, water closets, etc.; the lot is 40 feet wide and 170 feet deep. Here's a good property, in good renting condition, in a good locality; also a splendid chance for a man to own a good home, and be able to rent part of it, thereby getting a home and an income at the same time. Its situation is such that in the near future it must increase very perceptibly in value. The widow joins her dower in the sale.

MARY A. CARROLL, Guardian.

Tuesday, 4 P. M.

It's got to be sold! No matter what it brings! Owner to leave Lowell! An excellent modern house—a very nice home; on Wentworth avenue, next to the corner of Laurel street, and within two minutes' walk of the Nesmith street line of electric cars, and not far from the new school house on Sycamore street. On the premises and regardless of the weather, promptly at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, I shall absolutely sell without limit to the highest bidder the above located property. The house has 10 very pleasant and convenient rooms, also a fine hall, bath room, pantry, large unfinished attic, and cemented cellar; all heated by a splendid and simple hot-water system; it is in prime condition from top to bottom, inside and out; has all modern conveniences, also fireplaces, laundry and butler's pantry. The dining room has cabnets, china closets and linen chests all built in. Kitchen is large and there is a back entry. The arrangement and finish of the house is exceptionally good and very attractive. It can be said without fear of contradiction that there is no prettier, more comfortable, substantial or more desirable house of its size in Lowell, and it's got to be sold for just what it'll bring. The lot has 7200 square feet of land, with a frontage of 60 feet, is level, laid down to a lawn, with strawberry beds, currant and raspberry bushes, cherry, apple and pear trees, also several excellent shade trees. You can examine the premises at any time; the house will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. on day of sale. Sale positive. Take Nesmith street car past Fort Hill park to Laurel street, or it's a pleasant walk across from Andover street. House is numbered 858. MARY M. NEWCOMB.

Wednesday,

To the highest bidders! No limit! No reserve! Positively! Absolutely! The Wm. Kelley estate, Mt. Washington street. One of the handsomest places in Ward Five. High, sightly, desirable, pleasant. Promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and regardless of the weather, I shall positively sell to the highest bidders, without limit of any kind whatsoever, the following parcels of excellent real estate in the following order: Lot 1, mansion house of 14 rooms, large hall, also bath room, pantry, laundry, storerooms, shed and cellar, all heated by steam. There are five open fire-places, outside windows, screens, piazza, balconies, and modern conveniences. The house is in splendid order and condition inside and out; the rooms are large, high posted, pleasant and nicely finished. It is solid, substantial, and sound, and one of the coolest and most comfortable houses in Lowell. Stone stable for three horses and carriage house for as many carriages. The lot has 10,000 square feet of land with a frontage of 70 feet. Lots 2 and 3 adjoin each other. They also adjoin and are just south of lot 1, or nearer Varney street. The choice of the two lots will be offered with the privilege of taking both; they contain 5700 square feet of land each; have frontage of 40 feet each, and on the two are 25 healthy and thrifty fruit trees; also grape vines and bushes, shade trees and shrubbery. Lots 4 and 5 are level as a floor; have granite wall in front; are as desirable and attractive a pair of building lots as there are in this section of the city. They adjoin each other; they also adjoin and are north of lot 1, or nearer Bowers street; they contain 7000 square feet of land each and each has a frontage of 50 feet. The choice in the two will be offered with the privilege of taking both. The estate is well known; it's been one of the solid, substantial, and handsome "landmarks" in Lowell for a number of years. To get a part of it is to select a splendid and unusual spot to have a nice and comfortable home. You can see a plan of the premises at the office of the auctioneers; you can examine the premises at any time, and the house will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. on day of sale. FRANK F. KELLEY.

Thursday.

Executor's sale of three magnificent building sites in Belvidere. The D. C. Brown estate, Fairview street, between Belmont avenue and Fairmount street. The highest spot in Belvidere with the one exception of Fort Hill park, Thursday, *May 16th*, promptly at 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon, regardless of the weather and on the premises, I shall sell at public auction to the higgest bidders without the least limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever the parcel of real estate herewith described in one or more lots as bidders shall decide at the sale. The entire area is 34,744 square feet, with a frontage of 225 feet. It is divided by a survey into three lots of about 11,500 square feet each having equal frontages of 75 feet. The choice of the three lots will be offered by the square foot with the privilege of taking two lots or the whole. The land has a granite wall on the entire street frontage, is up and above the street, and rises from the wall by a sloping grade to the present position of the house occupied by the late Mr. Brown; it is excellently laid out and graded: is down to a lawn; has an abundance of fruit trees, also several shade trees. The lot on the corner of Belmont avenue and Fairview street, formerly a part of the estate, and now adjoining it, was sold about a year ago to Mr. R. F. Brazer. The view from the premises is unexcelled by any other spot in Lowell; you overlook the city and the surrounding country for miles and miles about. To fully realize its extent and wide scope you must go on to the premises and see it yourself. It cannot be properly described in an advertisement. You can partially form an opinion when you are informed that the premises are almost on a level with the clock in the city hall tower. To speak of the neighborhood is to refer to one of the finest residential portion of Lowell; three of the most elegant estates in the city are nearly opposite, namely: the stone mansion of Mr. Frederic Faulkner and the homs of Mr. A. G. Cumnock and Mr. John A. Faulkner. The sale of the house will follow directly after the sale of the land and of course it will be optional with the purchaser to remove it or place it on any one of the lots should he buy one. The house was built by the day by Mr. George W. Pearson and is undoubtedly one of the most substantial and thoroughly constructed houses in the city, although slightly out of repair on the outside from lack of paint and a little carpentry. Inside it is in good shape, convenient, and has modern improvements. Plan of the premises at office of auctioneers, where all inquiries should be made. House open for inspection after 10 a. m. on day of sale.

S. P. GRIFFIN,
Executor of the will of Margaret Brown.

Friday, 4 p. m.

Executor's and heirs' sale by public auction of the Elvira Twitchell estate, No. 315 Moody street, or between Suffolk and Race streets. Two-story French roof two-tenement house and 1325 square feet of land. Friday, May 17th, promptly at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and regardless of the weather, I shall sell to the highest bidder; no limit; no reserve; the French roof house of 11 rooms, divided into two complete tenements and supplied with city water and sewerage. The lot has a frontage of 25 feet and a depth of 53 feet and the use of the passageway on the westerly side. The property rents for $25 a month, is always occupied, and the rent comes regularly every month. The sale will be absolute and will take place rain or shine. Think of it, in the near future for a business site. It's growing more valuable every day. Moody street, with the new bridge completed, will be a most important throughfare and business mart.

HORACE ELA, Executor.

Friday, 5 p. m.

The Carlos Bohonan estate, No. 91 Beech street, near the corner of Sixth street, Centralville. Square house of eight rooms, pantry, cemented cellar, large closets, city water, sewerage, water closet and gas. All in prime condition inside and out, very convenient, well arranged and well finished. Stable for three horses. Carriage house. Henery. The lot has 5600 square feet of land with a frontage of 56 feet; concrete driveway, ten choice fruit trees, grape vines, currant bushes, shrubbery, flower beds and nice lawn. Friday, May 17th, promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and regardless of the weather, I shall positively sell my place, located as above, without the least limit or reserve, to the highest bidder. It's a pretty, snug and very comfortable home, excellently located in a very pleasant part of the city, and certainly a splendid place for a family in moderate circumstances. With the extension of the street railway through Myrtle street, which will undoubtedly be done this year, the property will be within five minutes' walk of the electric cars. You can examine the premises at any time. Sale absolute, rain or shine.

CARLOS BOHONAN.

Saturday.

An excellent chance. A splendid opportunity. Twenty-five unusual building lots. On Middlesex street. The new state highway. (Princeton street.) Wood street. Cornell street. Columbia street. Colby street. No grading.—Flat.—Dry.—Handsome.—New school house in one corner of premises. Step into the auctioneer's office and get a small plan. Electric cars pass the lots every fifteen minutes. Commencing promptly at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, regardless of the weather, and without limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever we shall sell to the highest bidders twenty-five house lots that are certainly beyond question or argument very choice and selected building sites. The streets are graded and very level; are 40 and 50 feet wide; the sidewalks are laid; buildings on the lot will be restricted to a uniform distance from the street lines; only one set of buildings on a lot, no house to be occupied by more than two families. It is the intention of the present owners of this land to make this property one of the ideal residence sections of Lowell for families in moderate or comfortable circumstances, to build first class homes in a respectable neighborhood; in an exceedingly healthy location; within easy distance of the city; on one of the most important thoroughfares running out of the city; and the new state highway, already ordered by the state highway commissioners, running across the premises, is to be the best laid out and made avenue in Middlesex county. In the whole plot there are 80 lots, and every one when sold will be restricted alike; the restrictions to hold 20 years from 1895. The lots vary in size, but are uniform in shape, contain from 4600 to 16,000 square feet of land each, and frontages from 50 to 100 feet. It's more than 20 years since so desirable and attractive a sale of land has taken place in this part of Lowell. The land we offer has been in one family since 1807; there's many an attempt been made to secure some of it, but until now could not be purchased at any price. Purchasers, if they desire, can leave two-thirds of the purchase money on mortgage. One word to the public. This is the year to buy real estate. The above lots can never be worth any less. As a matter of fact they will soon be much more valuable; if from no other cause than the natural course of events; better than that, though, is the undisputable fact that as soon as a few of the lots are built upon the others will soon go up in price. The lots will bear the closest scrutiny and examination; and the more you look them over and into the matter of purchasing one, the more you are convinced of their desirability and attractive qualities for a comfortable home. Lowell from the very beginning has made its most substantial and healthy growth in this direction, and, with the new state highway decided upon, the prospects are greater and better than ever. There are already three new and modern houses on the land.

H. E. SHAW,
G. W. PEARSON.

State Census Returns.

It is expected that the returns on the state census will be handed in about Aug. 10th, and then can be compared the work of the local assessors with that of the state enumerators. Another interesting matter connected with the returns of the state authorities, is the fact that additional liquor licenses are to be granted. The different cities in the commonwealth will adopt the same plan, which it is said will be in accordance with an opinion from the attorney general, who is to be asked concerning this phase of the law.

It is expected that the result of the canvass in each city will be received by the license commissioners of the respective cities, some time in June.

Those Sulking Councilmen.

Those sulking councilmen in Lowell should cease their cry-baby tactics and get down to business. By refusing to attend meetings and answer to roll call they are rapidly making themselves the laughing stock of the state.—Lawrence Sun.

Right you are. The people of Lowell are disgusted with the action of those twelve republican councilmen.

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Two Men Were Locked Up For Pushing Somebody Off the Pier But Were Let Go —It Might Have Been McClorey.

Intelligence has reached Lowell in regard to the death of Francis McClorey showing that there was nothing suspicious or suicidal therein. It was purely accidental.

He was last seen about two weeks ago in a store at 12 Walker street. It is said he had been drinking and was then a physical wreck. How he got drowned is a mystery.

The following story is told in connection with the affair but it may not have reference to McClorey.

A peculiar circumstance is that about the last time McClorey was seen a mysterious occurrence happened on a pier not far from where he was found drowned. One night, scarcely two weeks ago, a man's scream was heard on this dock, and two men found there were arrested on suspicion of knowing something about the affair.

The police thought that some one might have been pushed overboard; probably during a row. These two men were locked up for two days and were then let go, as no further evidence was discovered to warrant their detention.

When last seen McClorey did not have much money in his possession, and if he met with foul play it was not for the purpose of robbery.

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" "	$2.50,	worth $6.00
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SECOND EDITION

FATAL ACCIDENT

By Which Everest Leclair Lost Life.

ELEVATOR FELL UPON HIM BREAKING HIS NECK.

Sad Tidings For His Afflicted Family.

Everest Leclaire, aged 52 years residing at 158 Salem street was killed early this morning.

He was employed in the Tremont & Suffolk mill and about 6.30 this morning, just when the mill had started up, one of the elevators fell upon him breaking his neck.

He lived about 10 minutes after the accident. The body was taken to Brooks' rooms.

Deceased was married and leaves a family.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The U. S. Tea Co., is to be dissolved. A great sale commences Tuesday, May 14th and continues until $10,000 worth of the stock is sold. The business will be continued by P. J. Kinsella, one of the present owners.

Tell your friends to save their coupons and vote for their favorite. The early votes are usually wasted when they could easily win the contest. Don't throw a vote away.

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THE SILVER WEDDING

Of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyman Observed.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyman entertained their friends at the Highland club last evening the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Over 600 invitations were sent out.

The receiving party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman, assisted by Mrs. Henry Trowbridge of New Haven, sister of Mrs. Lyman, Mrs. W. E. Arnold of Providence, Mrs. R. B. Lyman, Mrs. F. L. Boynton, Mrs. G. L. Richardson, Mrs. Valentine Wilson, Miss Parker, Mrs. E. B. Peirce and Mrs. W. A. Dickinson; and the ushers were Horace Bacon, Harry Duckworth, Marcus Pierce, August B. Fels, C. Harry Lyman, Ralph B. Lyman and Arthur Lyman.

The Page company catered and lemonade was served by Misses Ethel Lyman, Alice Chalifoux, May Wilder and Anna Fels. The reception was held between 7.30 and 10 o'clock. The American orchestra furnished music. Mr. and Mrs. Lyman received many valuable silver gifts.

OPERA HOUSE NEWS

The Baldwin's entertained another large audience last night and many were the answers given to questions put by members of the audience. Interest is growing more in the exhibition given, whatever it may be. Prof. Baldwin will explain his cabinet tricks tonight and many will attend to get the secrets by which he can fool all the committees.

Music Hall.

The Police Inspector is scoring big success at Music Hall. The company is a good one and its performance excellent.

DEATHS.

BARRY—Bridget Barry, an old resident of this city, died yesterday at her home, 4 Brown's court, off Lakeview avenue.

For funerals, wedding or parties go to McManmon, the Palace florist, Prescott street. Telephone No. 3.

Don't You Hear Those Bells.

Any housewoman who pretends to be up to date has at least an electric door bell and if you have not one you do not know what you are missing. It only costs a small sum to have them put in and they hardly ever get out of repair when the work is done by J. F. McElholm, the electrician located in the basement of the First National bank on Prescott street.

Grand Opening of Willow Dale.

This beautiful picnic resort will be opened for the season tomorrow. The dance hall has been improved in many ways and the grounds are all in good shape. There is a fleet of 20 boats all in good repair, with a steamer. The management have given the use of the dance hall for the day and have engaged a fine orchestra. On Sunday afternoon there will be a grand sacred concert by the National band to which all are invited.

Brush Fire.

This morning at 10 o'clock a telephone alarm was sent to the chemical and protective for a brush fire. The land is owned by Clarence Coburn and is on the Totman road in Pawtucketville.

The Lamson Suit.

The suit of the Lamson Store Service company vs. the Martin Cash carrier for alleged infringement which was begun in 1888 was decided before Judge Colt in the United States Circuit court. The Lamson company lost the suit.

Received Their Salary.

The firemen were paid off at a discount by the Lowell Trust company. There was a proviso attached to the payment.

COMMON COUNCIL

Meeting Called But None Takes Place.

THE REPUBLICANS ISSUE ANOTHER WINDY MANIFESTO.

They Thresh Over the Old Political Straw.

Mayor Courtney called another meeting of the common council, last evening, but as usual none was held. The republicans kept up their childish antics and refused to go in.

Every democrat was present at the appointed time, but only half a dozen republicans were on hand.

Of course no meeting was held because of the action of the republicans and shortly before 9 o'clock the members left the building.

The republicans are adepts in issuing manifestoes. They have issued another which makes the third or fourth appeal to the public for justification.

The democrats have issued none of these documents as none is necessary to show their readiness to do business. The republicans thresh over the old straw again, lay particular stress upon their affidavits and their right to the offices filled by joint convention.

The offices of course constitute the sole consideration. They want to fill those before doing business. They may wriggle and try to put the matter in a different light as much as they please; but their action and policy ever since inauguration day speak more forcibly than their affidavits or their windy manifesto.

Here is a characteristic sample of this morning's manifesto es:

"The democrats say to the republicans in effect: 'The court says I have stolen your dinner, but I appeal from the decision and do not consent to have it finally decided until after I have eaten the food in question.'"

The "food" or the offices rather is what the republicans want first of all.

They cast upon Mayor Courtney the imputation that he is not sincere in his efforts to effect a conciliation. That is the generosity that might be expected in return for the straight forward and courteous manner in which Mayor Courtney has endeavored to persuade the republicans to do business.

Some of the morning papers attach too much importance to the alleged conference of two office holders at city hall, with two Republican councilmen. It may have meant something or nothing; but it would be presuming too much to say that it will result in the solution of the present difficulties.

Civil Service Examination.

Twenty-one out of twenty-four who took the civil service examination for the position of water inspector, passed successfully. John F. Egan got the highest rank, 86.20.

The Low Railroad Fares.

Tomorrow will be the first day on which the public at large will take advantage of the low fares to the suburbs. The cars will run almost to Lakeview while the Chelmsford lines and that to Billerica will be well patronized. It should be remembered that the five cent fare is good only from the square, outward in any one direction. If it were otherwise a passenger could ride from Lakeview to Billerica or North Chelmsford for a nickel.

FOR ENDOWMENT

Recommended by the Y. M. C. A. Convention.

LAYING OF THE CORNER STONE OF BUILDING.

Various Lines of Work Outlined For Future.

SPRINGFIELD, May 11.—The convention of the International Y. M. C. A. was addressed yesterday by President J. M. Coulter of Lake Forest university, Illinois, who discussed "The International Permanent Fund and Its Relations to the International Work."

He said there was great need of coordination in the work of the association on account of the vast area covered by its work, and that there was a need, too, of stimulation. Another need was of propagation, which should carry the work farther than had been done. The two ways of raising money for organizations are by direct annual subscriptions, which tend to make the work uncertain and spasmodic, and the endowment plan, which is the better one.

Chairman Ellerce read resolutions favoring the adoption of the report of the international committee, and that the committee should be authorized to spend this year not less than $75,000 for the work, and for 1896 as much more as was necessary. This report was unanimously adopted. Pledges to the amount of over $20,000 were received for carrying on the work. One individual subscription was for $8000.

Corner Stone Ceremonies.

A fitting close to the afternoon was the laying of the corner stone of the new dormitory building for the International Y. M. C. A. training school, which took place shortly after 5 o'clock. The exercises were brief, but impressive.

Charles H. Barrows of Springfield introduced the speakers of the occasion. A portion of the Scriptures was read by George E. Day, vice president of the Alumni association. This was followed with invocation by D. A. Bridge.

The formal service of laying the corner stone was performed by Frederick B. Pratt, chairman of the international committee. He said, in part: "Before I place the last bit of mortar upon this foundation that will bind this stone, I want you to think for a moment what the laying of this stone signifies. There are assembled here representatives of the Y. M. C. A. from all over the country. Of all the general secretaries of the country, about 20 per cent are graduates of the Y. M. C. A. training school.

"This institution is a standard of Christian manhood to which young men may attain. It is very fitting on the occasion of this international convention that we should lay the corner stone of this building, which is so vitally connected with the Y. M. C. A." After placing the last trowel of mortar upon the bricks, Mr. Pratt remarked: "I now declare this stone well and truly laid."

This was followed with a brief address by Robert Weidensall. He said: "It was necessity that suggested this great work which we represent. Not many years ago the Y. M. C. A. secretary would not pass muster with the trained secretary of today. Since the founding of those schools Y. M. C. A. work has been raised and elevated to a higher plane. There is unlimited demand for these workers, and these institutions are indispensable."

Following this address, the hymns "How firm a foundation," and "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow" were sung by the students.

The Evening Session.

Last night the subject of the evening was "The Relation of the Association to the Foreign Mission Cause." The principal speakers were Rev. Dr. Barton of Boston; David McConaughy, Jr., of Madras, India; D. W. Lyon, secretary-elect for China, and Louis Lloh, secretary-elect for Ceylon. The tenor of the addresses was an earnest plea for Y. M. C. A. work in foreign countries, particularly as a means of educating the natives.

Used Church's Name.

ALBANY, May 11.—Wesley A. Campbell was arrested here yesterday for getting printing done at a local job office and having it charged to the First Baptist church. He arranged for a song service in the First Baptist church without permission. Mrs. H. A. Fuller of Malden, mother-in-law of Campbell, has informed Chief Wallard that she believes Campbell has obtained a strange power over his wife by drugging her.

Hot Ashes Started the Blaze.

BANGOR, May 11.—A wooden structure, owned by the Bangor Gas company and containing 500 tons of soft coal, 200 barrels of coal tar and several thousand bushels of coke, was destroyed by fire yesterday. A toolhouse and lime kiln were also practically destroyed. The fire was caused by dumping hot ashes upon the floor of a woodshed. Loss, $10,000.

Brice Fighting Free Silver.

LIMA, O., May 11.—Senator Brice has issued a circular letter protesting against the adoption in the Ohio state Democratic convention of any resolution endorsing free silver. Brice accuses Chairman A. W. Thurman, Secretary W. A. Taylor of the state executive committee and other free silver men of working to secure delegations for this purpose.

Vespers at Manchester.

The Vespers went to Manchester, last night and were entertained by the gymnasium team of that city with a bowling contest. The Lowell boys won by 26 pins, and after the game a social time was enjoyed in the Press club. The score:

Vespers—Thorpe, 501; Grover, 482; J. K. Whittier, 467; S. T. Whittier, 460; Corwin, 507: Total 2417.

Gymnasium Team—Gay, 464; Downer, 467; Currier, 484; Martin 492; Connor, 484: Total 2301.

A Souvenir From the President.

Sub-Treasurer Joseph H. O'Neil received yesterday morning from President Cleveland a reminder of his congressional services during the past six years in the shape of a magnificent gold pen with which the president had signed a bill of which Mr. O'Neil had charge in the last session of congress.

Kittredge's Men Paid Off.

People on Central street, this morning, were surprised to see about 100 men standing around the Central block. It was thought they were stone masons on a strike, but they were not strikers, but hard working men who are employed by Mr. Kittredge, the contractor, and they were being paid off.

5 O'CLOCK

JAMES MARTIN IS THE MAN

WHO JUMPED INTO THE SUFFOLK CANAL.

His Clothes Identified by His Wife—Body Not Yet Recovered.

The man who jumped into the Suffolk canal near the Market street bridge, yesterday, as mentioned exclusively in yesterday's SUN was James Martin. Early last evening, Mrs. James Martin of Fenwick street, identified the coat and hat as those of her husband. Martin, who was about 40 years old, has done little or no work for the past year and was despondent. His body has not been recovered. The grief stricken family has the sympathy of many friends.

Deceased leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss.

THE MULE SPINNERS

Were Not Ready to Take Final Action Last Night.

The Mule Spinners did not meet last evening as they found that matters had not reached a sufficiently mature state to warrant final action.

LOCAL NOTES.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Alexander of Varney street.

A. E. O'Heir & Co., furniture dealers and auctioneers, 16 Merrimack street.

The 20th Century shoe store has issued a splendid map of Lowell showing the new ward lines.

Mr. Walter Gove has left town to join his parents, who are located at Olympia, Washington.

Augustus W. Kimball of this city and Wm. A. Merriam of Billerica have been granted pensions.

H. C. Church & Son have taken charge of the insurance business formerly done by the late Charles Coburn.

A number of employes connected with the local postoffice have filed application for back pay for overtime.

Mr. Robert N. Brissett of June street, was pleasantly surprised by his friends at his home, Thursday evening.

Those who use a hose for watering their premises should read the order of the water board in regard to the prohibited hours.

A party of 200 Knights of Columbus, among them several Lowell men, left Boston today for New York, where a new council will be instituted tomorrow.

Isaac L. Libby observed the 31st anniversary of his appointment on the police force yesterday. Isaac is hale and hearty and we hope he will observe many more anniversaries.

The Lowells are a fine looking set of men. Did you get one of those elegant souvenir pictures of the team given away with THE SUN? If you didn't you can get one for a cent at this office.

The engineer of the Boston & Maine company submitted a plan yesterday by which the upper crossing on Lawrence street might be abolished. The plan was not satisfactory to the city civil engineer, nor, it is said, to the grade crossing commissioners. It was decided that the city engineer and the engineer of the railroad company should consult regarding the plan to be submitted to the commissioners.

At the annual meeting of the Branch street church the following officers were elected: Clerk, James M. Butler; treasurer, Noble M. Charlton; auditors, B. B. Jacques, J. M. Butler; collector, F. G. McGregor; finance committee, F. G. McGregor, Noble M. Charlton, B. B. Jacques, Mrs. Hattie M. Collins, Mrs. James R. Cove; music committee, Miss Annie A. Leach, W. W. Bowen, B. B. Jacques; deacons, W. F. Hills, F. G. McGregor, B. B. Jacques, W. W. Bowen; baptizing committee, Miss Amanda M. Ekestrom, Mrs. Herbert Dimock, Mrs. Hattie M. Collins, Charles S. Young, Noble M. Charlton, George H. Williams; standing committee, pastor, deacons, F. T. Fletcher, Mrs. F. G. McGregor, Mrs. Georgiana Foss, James M. Butler.

Oblan Social Club.

The May party of the Oblan Social club was held in Wells' hall, last evening, and was a very pleasant affair. Joseph E. Burns was general manager, James H. Corcoran floor director and they were assisted by Peter H. Kerrigan, Joseph Gately and a staff of aids.

If the White Mahatmas

were asked who sells the best tea and coffee for the least money, their knowledge would be very limited unless they answered, Jas. McCarron & Co., opp. the post office, on Gorham street.

This Morning's Fire.

The alarm from box 129 at 7.45 this morning called the fire department out to Methuen street where a mattress was on fire in a tenement.

The damage was slight.

Don't hoard up your votes, send them in and put your friend in a prominent position.

Are You Tired?

Do you find that your sleep is not refreshing, that you have no appetite for your food, and that your strength is waning? If so, you may depend upon it your blood is in an impure and impoverished condition. That is why you have that tired feeling. That is why you are

Nervous, Irritable

and unable to rest. Begin at once to purify and enrich your blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and you will then feel like going forward with your work. This medicine will give you strength and vigor, because it will make pure, rich blood upon which strength and vigor depend.

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Prominently in the public eye today.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills, biliousness, headache. 25c.

THE HAVERHILL TEAM BEATEN

IN THE GAME ON THE FAIR GROUNDS YESTERDAY.

Cudworth Shows His Old Time Disposition to Correct the Umpire—Score 8 to 3.

'Twas the same thing over again. Even the Haverhills with popular Jim Cudworth were obliged to accept a defeat from unconquerable ball players.

Yet the game was not one sided by any means for since Cudworth has taken them in charge the Haverhills have improved greatly and will not remain in last place long.

Yesterday's game was improperly advertised and as a result the attendance was not over three hundred. Those who were there, however, received their money's worth for they were treated to an almost perfect fielding game three errors only being made.

Of course the principal attraction with the visitors was "Cuddy" the well known Hogan of this city, and many of his brother Hogans were on hand to greet the old man with a smile, threw up their hands whenever he came to the bat. Cudworth is a fine first baseman, but owing to an injury received Tuesday, played out in center field. He made one magnificent catch and another not quite so difficult and he also made an error. His throwing from the outfield betokened a case of "glass arm" which undoubtedly will come around all right.

When "Cuddy" started one of his old time, good-natured kicks at the umpire, the latter who is a star in his line, turning to the grand stand, remarked: "He's the same old Cudworth."

A feature of the game was the double play by Van Alstyne and Flanagan in the eighth inning. With a man on second a hot grounder was batted to Van Alstyne who fielded it and held the ball so that the man on second couldn't run. Then by a quick throw he put out the man at first and Flanagan returning him the ball equally rapidly caught the player who tried to get from second to third.

Both sides scored in the first inning McCarthy got first on balls. So did Tebeau. Flanagan made a hit and this with a wild throw brought in two runs, Flanagan stealing second. Johnson brought him in with a hit.

Haverhill got hit one in the opening inning. Nash, the first man up hit the first ball for three bases and afterwards scored on Myers out, Long to Flanagan.

In the second, Lowell obtained more runs. With a man out, Long got his base and after McCarthy had flied out, scored on Tebeau's hit. The latter stole second and came in on Flanagan's hit. Johnson made a two-bagger, but forced Flanagan at third.

Lowell scored three more in the fifth on a base by Coyle, hits by Van Alstyne, Sullivan, Hawley and Long and an error. They didn't score again.

In the sixth, Haverhill earned a run on single by Gorman and a three-bagger by Woods. They also got one in the seventh on singles by Cudworth and Hutchinson and a passed ball.

The final score was 8 to 3.

The score:

LOWELLS.	AB.	R.	B.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
McCarthy, m	4	1	3	3	2	0	0
Tebeau, 2	4	2	2	2	3	2	1
Flanagan, 1	5	1	3	8	11	1	0
G. Johnson, s	5	0	2	3	1	2	0
Coyle, l	4	1	0	0	2	0	0
Van Alstyne 3	2	1	1	1	3	2	0
Sullivan, p	4	1	3	4	0	3	0
Hawley r	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Long, c	3	1	0	0	5	2	0
Totals	35	8	12	14	27	12	1

HAVERHILL.	AB.	R.	B.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
Nash, l	2	1	1	3	1	1	0
Hutchison, 1	4	0	1	1	9	0	0
Myers, 2	4	0	0	0	8	0	1
Holford, r	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Gorman, 3	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Woods, ss	3	0	2	4	2	2	0
Grant, s	4	0	0	0	3	0	0
A. Johnson, p	3	0	1	1	1	5	0
Cudworth, m	4	1	1	1	2	0	1
Totals	32	3	8	12	27	13	2

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowells	3	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	0—8
Haverhill	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0—3

Summary. Earned runs, Lowell 2, Haverhill 2. Two base hits, G. Johnson, Sullivan. Three base hits, Nash, Woods. Stolen bases, Tebeau 2, Nash, Woods 2. Double plays, Van Alstyn and Flanagan. Bases on balls, McCarthy, Tebeau, Coyle, Van Alstyne 2, Long, Nash 2, Woods, Johnson. Struck out by Sullivan, Hutchinson 2, Holford 2, Cudworth; by Johnson, G. Johnson, Coyle, Hawley. Wild pitch by Johnson. Passed ball, Long. Time of game, 1h, 45m. Umpire, Hunt. Attendance, 300.

The Game Elsewhere.

CHICAGO, May 10.—The Bostons barely escaped a shutout. They could do nothing with Hutchison, while the Colts batted Wilson in all directions, and scored in each of the six innings he pitched. Although very one-sided, the game was interesting throughout.

Chicago	3	1	1	2	3	0	0	2	1	—14
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1

Earned runs—Chicago, 1. Base hits—Chicago, 21; Boston, 6. Errors—Chicago, 8; Boston, 4. Batteries—Hutchison and Donohue; Wilson and Ganzel.

At Cleveland:										
Washington	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	—6
Cleveland	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—5

Earned runs—Washington, 4; Cleveland, 3. Base hits—Washington, 9; Cleveland, 17. Errors—Washington, 3; Cleveland, 5. Batteries—Mercer and McGuire; Wallace and O'Connor.

At Louisville:										
Louisville	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—8
New York	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	—4

Earned runs—Louisville, 1; New York, 1. Base hits—Louisville, 10; New York, 6. Errors—Louisville, 4; New York, 3. Batteries—McDermott and Cote; Boswell, Meekin and Van Haltren.

At St. Louis:										
Philadelphia	0	3	0	1	3	0	1	4	0	—14
St. Louis	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	—4

Base hits—Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 2. Errors—Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 3. Batteries—Smith and Buckley; Clarkson and Peitz.

At Pittsburg:										
Pittsburg	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	—6
Baltimore	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	—5

Earned runs—Pittsburg, 5; Baltimore, 4. Base hits—Pittsburg, 12; Baltimore, 10. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Baltimore, 2. Batteries—Colcolough, Hart and Kinslow; Gleason, Hoffer and Robinson.

At Lewiston—New Bedford, 23; Lewiston, 8.

At Augusta—Kennebec, 14; Pawtucket, 8.

At Portland—Fall River, 7; Portland, 1.

At Lawrence—Lawrence, 12; Nashua, 7.

At Fitchburg—Fitchburg, 28; Salem, 12.

At Bangor—Brockton, 5; Bangor, 4.

Association Standing.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Per cent. won.
Lowell	8	1	9	.888
Fitchburg	6	3	9	.666
Lawrence	6	3	9	.666
Salem	4	5	9	.444
Nashua	2	7	9	.222
Haverhill	1	8	9	.111

The Young Centrals have organized as follows: T. McGuane, c; B. Rhodes, p; F. Breen, 1b; L. Traughty, 2b; J. Duffy, ss; W. Crotty, 3b; J. Heeps, rf; W. Keenan, lf; J. McLaughlin, cf. They would like to hear from any team under 13 years. Address B. Rhodes, 2 Fulton avenue.

Miss Maud E. Paradis has accepted a position as organist at the Methodist church in Newtonville.

LATEST

CLEVER ROBBER

Caught in Boston by Bank Squad.

HE HAD PLENTY OF MONEY TO DECEIVE.

He Has a Prison Record in Various States.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, May 11.—Members of the Boston bank squad have arrested one of the cleverest swindlers in the country.

On the May 2 he entered the Rockland bank and said he wanted to open an account, giving his name as Henry Woodruff, he deposited $400. On May 4 he deposited a check of cashier of the First National bank of New Bedford for $4052, payable to himself.

On May 8 he got a check for $4500 cashed without question by the United States Trust company. He then presented a check for $3900 from the New Bedford cashier when he was arrested by the officers.

He has been identified as an artist forger who has a prison record, having served in Sing Sing from 1883 to 1888 and also in Indiana.

WAS A DOUBLE FATALITY

EXPLOSION AND FIRE IN A THREE STORY BUILDING.

Proprietor Jumped to Death—Others Were Injured.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 11.—Two fatalities resulted from an explosion and subsequent fire in a three story lodging house and saloon on Sherman street early this morning. August Michael, the proprietor, jumped from a window in the top story and died at the hospital from his injuries. Alex. Jenks, a lodger was fatally burned and ten persons are reported injured.

MILLS ARE CLOSED

And May Not Open For Some Weeks to Come.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 11.—The situation at Olneyville is unchanged. The mills shut down today at noon as usual, and it is not thought they will reopen Monday.

Secretary Gresham Unchanged.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—The condition of Sec. Gresham remains unchanged. He is resting easily, today.

Died of Sunstroke.

By Associated Press To THE SUN.

LYNN, Mass., May 11.—James McDonald, aged 55, died at the hospital today from a sunstroke received Monday.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

MIDGELEY—The funeral of the late Eliza J. Midgeley occurred this afternoon from her late residence, 11 Sixth street, and was largely attended by the bereaved relatives and friends of the deceased. Impressive funeral services were held at the house, Rev. Mr. Millington officiating. The choir of the Fifth Street Baptist church of which deceased has been a faithful attendant rendered vocal selections of an appropriate nature. At the conclusion of the services the remains were borne to the Edson cemetery where the interment in charge of J. B. Currier, was made. The bearers were Messrs. Benj. Sheppard, Martin Wholey, George Stott and Frank Gray and the funeral arrangements were in charge of Major C. A. Stott. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

LEE—The funeral of Albert J. Lee took place yesterday afternoon from his late home 131 Grand street. Rev. Dr. Seymour officiated and the bearers were Mr. Forrest G. Brackett of Nashua, N. H., and Messrs. Arthur, George, and Walter Hope of this city.

Interment was in the Edson cemetery.

Mr. Lee was a native of this city and at one time was engaged in the grocery business in Swampscott Afterwards he was employed in the Hamilton drug store in this city, and later by W. D. Brackett & Co., of Boston.

He leaves a wife and three children, besides an aged mother and four sisters, one of whom is Miss Laura E. Lee, principal of the Plain street primary school.

LABOR NOTES.

Eugene V. Debs has been obliged to postpone his proposed visit to Boston and other New England cities.

Matthew Hart, secretary of the Weavers' association of New Bedford, feels indignant over some of the published reports of the textile convention recently held in Olneyville. He claims they were wrong and greatly exaggerated. Among other things, he says: "A wholly wrong impression was conveyed in regard to the matter of indorsing strikes." The weavers of the Atlantic mill complied with the rules of the district council, and on that account the action of the council in ordering the strike was endorsed, and the sentiment of the convention was to carry on the strike to the bitter end.

Heavy Freight Business.

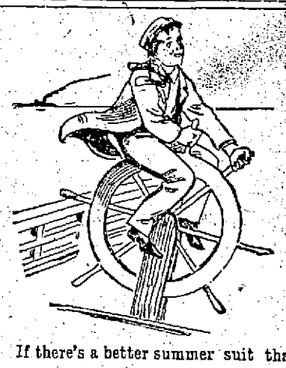
The rush of freight business is overwhelming the clerks at the freight offices in this city. They have had to work till midnight on freight, inward and outward, which must certainly be taken as an unmistakable indication of good business.

Another Brush Fire.

The alarm from box 74 this afternoon was for a brush fire out in Pawtucketville.

How Drury Does it.

Agent Drury this morning shot one of the dogs that fought yesterday. The animal was a wreck and one shot put it out of trouble. Accent on the one.



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166 CENTRAL STREET.

THE BAY STATE LEGISLATURE

THE BILL TO ABOLISH DEATH PENALTY REJECTED.

Other Matters of General Interest in the Commonwealth.

BOSTON, May 11.—The question of substituting for an adverse committee report a bill to abolish the death penalty came up as unfinished business. Substitution was refused—29 to 100. The yeas and nays were ordered, and substitution was refused—43 to 195—and the committee report accepted. The bill to authorize the city of Northampton to accept a gift of an opera house was passed to be engrossed after being so amended that it shall take effect when accepted by the city council and mayor. The resolve directing the state board of health to prepare a plan of sewage disposal for Salem and Peabody was passed to be engrossed. The bill providing for a reconstruction of the state house and the bill to provide for preserving and extending the front were both rejected.

One of the President's Duties.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—For one hour and twenty minutes yesterday afternoon President Cleveland shook hands with the delegates to the southern Baptist convention. There was an awful crush.

Under a Block of Granite.

CONCORD, N. H., May 11.—A block of granite weighing a ton fell on the left leg of William H. Perry yesterday afternoon. His leg was badly injured and his entire nervous system shattered.

Quite Common In Kentucky.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 11.—Bert Hall, who keeps a grocery store, shot and killed his clerk, Volney Baird. The latter's undue intimacy with the former's wife was the cause of the murder.

Gingham Mills Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—The Langdell gingham mills were damaged last night to the extent of $100,000. Four hundred hands are thrown out of employment.

Banks and State House Closed.

AUGUSTA, May 11.—Arbor day was observed only in the closing of the banking institutions and a general holiday with the state house attaches.

Gresham Losing Ground.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Secretary of State Gresham is not so well. The hot weather has brought back a touch of his old enemy, malaria.

Good-By to Police Justices

ALBANY, May 11.—Governor Morton has signed the New York city police magistrates bill, which legislates the New York city police justices out of office.

"Special arrangements can now be made at the Traders' National Bank for depositing valuable articles for safe keeping during your absence from the city this summer. Only a nominal charge is made for this service."

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6 30	7 45	6 30	7 52
6 50	8 05	6 40	$7 57
$7 01	7 58	8 00	9 12
$7 18	8 02	8 30	$9 11
$7 27	8 12	9 00	$9 42
7 45	8 25	9 15	$10 05
8 50	9 40	10 00	11 05
$9 00	10 30	10 45	11 58
9 40	10 40	12 00	$12 56
11 00	12 05	1 00	$1 42
$12 00	12 45	2 00	2 54
1 40	2 50	3 00	3 46
2 00	4 25	3 20	4 48
$4 02	4 45	4 15	$5 30
4 30	5 30	5 00	5 44
$5 21	6 15	5 25	6 22
6 40	7 50	5 50	7 05
$6 28	7 15	6 15	7 28
$7 52	8 35	7 30	$8 10
		8 00	$8 40
		10 15	11 22
		11 20	12 23

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
$7 18	8 02	2 00	2 53
$7 27	8 12	9 00	10 07
8 15	9 50	4 00	4 57
$9 16	10 10	5 00	5 54
$4 25	5 32	7 30	8 30
$6 03	7 00	8 00	8 40
		9 00	10 02

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6 50	8 03	7 30	8 32
8 15	9 12	9 25	10 25
9 30	10 51	10 25	11 42
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 07
12 07	1 37	2 15	3 25
12 45	2 00	3 30	4 28
2 30	3 43	3 40	4 55
3 25	4 27	4 30	5 42
4 10	5 22	5 01	6 15
5 10	6 41	6 01	7 13
6 15	7 30	6 35	7 45
7 00	8 03	9 50	10 40
9 30	10 43	11 15	12 12

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8 20	9 51	8 00	9 18
12 05	1 23	11 45	12 53
4 15	5 25	5 00	6 20
5 35	6 56	7 00	8 22
7 25	8 45		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Central street station.

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b. Wednesdays and Saturdays only

(From Middlesex St. station only.

THE NEW law for the prevention of tuberculosis makes the farmers the arbiters of the situation.

ONLY LET themselves tell it and the republican councilmen are the fairest, the most honorable and the most dutiful body of men in existence.

THE SUN left its contemporaries far behind on two local fatalities of great interest to the people of this city yesterday. Not bad for one day.

THE CENSUS enumerators will soon give us some data on the greater Lowell and some reason for calling it greater. The increase in the number of wards is undoubtedly another reason.

Why should we be obliged to go about in heat producing garments? They do this thing much better in the Sandwich Islands. The fact is, we have been civilized out of all comfort.—Citizen.

Will the editor of the Citizen break through oppressive conventionalities and come out with naught but his breech cloth on?

ONLY THOSE who know the danger of drinking river water can realize the value of our driven well water. It is a blessing that promotes health, prevents various diseases. Many drank beer instead of water when the latter was known to be bad. This should cause the public in general not to waste it needlessly during the hot weather.

THE A. P. A. CONVENTION.

President Traynor of the national A. P. A. organization, read a highfalutin address at the Milwaukee convention, in which he recommended that a branch office be kept open in Washington to purify politics and to oppose the Jesuits in congress.

He also recommended the formation of international bodies in Canada, Australia and elsewhere.

Are the foreign branches to be American Protective associations also or are they simply to oppose the progress of Catholics? This shows the absurdity of the claims of this aggregation of bigots. For, if a similar organization be formed in Australia it must be to prevent "Rome" from seizing that country, from usurping the government and sinking the whole in universal perdition. If Rome does this in America, Australia, Canada, England and other countries with which we are familar, why should she not do so in every country where she has a foothold, which means throughout the civilized world. In other words according to these alarmists, the Pope lies awake nights thinking how he will get hold of America. The bigots of Canada and Australia are urged to unite and make similar charges against the Pope in regard to those countries. But if the Pope spends so much time as they would have us believe in trying to capture any one country how can he have so much to spend in trying to control each of the hundred other nations in which the church is established? The silly lunatics who make such charges know they state what is false; they know the Pope seeks only the advancement of the church under the established form of government. There is no power in any country more conservative or more opposed to shams or treasonable combinations than the Catholic church. This is her policy in every country in which she has a single congregation and any statement to the contrary is false and made from ignorance, malice or prejudice.

Both the old parties are condemned and according to President Traynor a new party of A. P. A. proclivities must be formed. Of course he would like to be at the head of a party if only to sell his influence therewith as many A. P. A. leaders in the West have sold out the lodges.

But Professor Sims, who was at one time head of the order, was also in Milwaukee and delivered an address denouncing its principles and its evil tendencies. He said that no man can be a member and t the same time exercise the prerogatives of citizenship or serve justly on a jury without being guilty of perjury.

He says that during his incumbency the leaders claimed a million members but he found they did not exceed 100,000. Now two and a half million is claimed and while the organization has increased in some places it has lost in others so that the boastful claims of the leaders are still as far as ever from the truth.

Professor Sims openly states that the object of such boastful claims is to bear down upon the politicians of the country with a view to elevating the leaders.

This is what might be expected from an organization that may well be described as a parasite upon the patriotism of this country.

How to Make Tea Punch.

Use heated metal bowl. Take one-half pint of good brandy, one-half pint of rum, one-quarter pound of loaf sugar dissolved in water, an ounce of best green tea, a quart of boiling water and a large lemon.

Infuse the tea in the water. Warm a silver or other metal bowl until quite hot, place in it the brandy, rum, sugar and the juice of the lemon. The oil of the lemon peel should be first obtained by rubbing with a few lumps of sugar. Set the contents of the bowl on fire, and while flaming pour in the tea gradually, stirring with a ladle. It will continue to burn for some time and should be ladled into glasses while in that condition. A heated metal bowl will cause the punch to burn longer than if a china bowl is used.

How to Make Chestnut Croquettes.

The most delicious accompaniment to turkey are chestnut croquettes. Use 50 Spanish chestnuts, 2 gills of cream, 3 tablespoonfuls of butter, one-fourth of a tablespoonful of salt, 4 eggs and some sifted bread crumbs for breading the croquettes.

Shell and blanch the chestnuts, put them in a stewpan with enough boiling water to cover them and boil for 30 minutes. Drain off all the water and pound the chestnuts in the mortar. When they are very fine, add a tablespoonful of the butter and continue pounding until it is well mixed with the chestnuts. Now add the remainder of the butter and the salt and pound for ten minutes longer. Add of the cream a little at a time.

When all the cream has been worked into the chestnuts, rub the mixture through a puree sieve. Beat 3 eggs till light and then beat them into the strained ingredients. Put the mixture into the double boiler and cook for about eight minutes, stirring constantly. It should be smooth and thick at the end of this time if the water in the outer boiler has been boiling rapidly. Spread it on a large platter and set away to cool. When the mixture is cold, butter the hands slightly and shape the mixture into cylinders, cones or balls. Spread these with the fourth egg and the fine crumbs. Fry for one minute and a half. Arrange on a warm napkin and serve at once.

How to Make a "Bird's Nest."

Boil some yellow macaroni gently until it is quite swelled out and tender; then cut it in pieces the length of a finger and lay them on a dish like a straw nest. Truss pigeons with the heads on (having scalded and picked them clean), turned under the left wing, leave the feet on, and having stewed them arrange them as in a nest. Pour gravy over and serve. The nest may be made of boiled rice or bread cut in pieces the length of a finger and fried a nice brown in hot lard or butter seasoned with salt and pepper. Any small bird may be stewed or roasted and served in this way.

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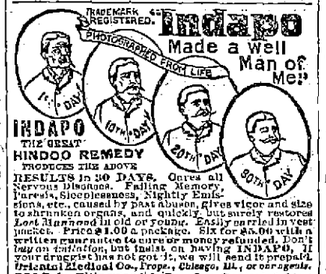

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Diagnosed.

Tom—I wonder what's the matter with my watch?

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She—I hope you will call again.

He—Thanks; very much, but I very seldom come to town, you know.

She—Then that's all the more reason why I should like to have you call.—New York Herald.

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Jack Borrowit—I awoke last night and found a burglar in my room.

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"Well," said the good natured man as the friend of former days left the room, "I'm $4 ahead on that transaction."

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Dentist—I certainly would, my boy.

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Bobberty—How do you know that?

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"They ain't no good," said Uncle Ike,
"An all the thing I wish
Is 'at them city chaps could see
The way I us' ter fish.

"We didun't hev no chickin things
Ner highfalutin duds;
We didn't hev to wade the creek
An lash it into suds.

"We us' ter cut a straight birch pole
An dig a mess o' bait,
Then jes' set down 'longside a hole
An chaw terbac—an wait."

Then just to demonstrate the fact
Old Uncle Ike went out;
He guessed he'd "get below the dam
An ketch a mess o' trout."

We went at noon and took a peep.
There Uncle Ike sat, still
And motionless as if asleep,
Besides the rippling rill.

And when he came in after dark
He had one little trout
That measured just three inches
And a half from tail to snout.

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SOME HEAVY RAIN AND WIND STORMS

Play Havoc West of the Mississippi River.

KANSAS CITY, May 11.—One of the worst sand and dust storms ever known prevailed in Oklahoma and at one or two points in Kansas yesterday. At Pittsburg, Kan., comparatively no outdoor work could be accomplished. A duststorm blew nearly the entire afternoon, caking everything in its path. The ground is baked and all crops are suffering for want of rain.

At Guthrie, O. T., a terrific windstorm from the north struck the city yesterday afternoon, and the temperature fell rapidly. The air suddenly became dark with dust and sand and for a time the people sought their cyclone cellars in fear of a twister.

At Kingfisher, O. T., a storm of great vehemence raged from 1 o'clock yesterday until late last evening. The forenoon had been intensely hot. Shortly after 12 o'clock a norther came up with remarkable suddenness, driving things before it with fearful velocity. For five hours the storm kept up with unabated fury, the temperature during that time falling 37 degrees. The sand carried before the storm drifted like snow, while the dust and debris caught up made the atmosphere impenetrable and pedestrianism extremely dangerous.

It is believed nobody in this vicinity was hurt, though worse reports are likely to come from the country towns, which are known to have been struck by the storm.

The town of Hennessy was also struck, but the extent of the damage suffered there is not known.

Buildings Wrecked.

MEDFORD, Wis., May 11.—A tornado damaged property here to the amount of $16,000. The east side of the Lutheran church steeple was blown down, Mauer's bakery building, Dunke Bros.' cigar factory, Shapira's dry goods store, the Hotel Winchester and the fair ground buildings were wrecked. No fatalities occurred.

Remarkable Change In Temperature.

CHIPPEWA Falls, Wis., May 11.—Thursday the thermometer stood 96 in the shade. In the evening it began to grow cooler, followed by a cold rain and hail. Yesterday the thermometer stood at freezing, and there are cold northwest winds and rain. The danger to the gardens and fruit buds is great.

Getting Still Colder.

CUMBERLAND, Wis., May 11.—The heaviest rain for two years fell here and the temperature dropped from 92 degrees in the shade to 50 degrees, and is still falling rapidly.

Of Interest to Agriculturists.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The May returns of the department of agriculture show an increase in wheat of 1.5 points from the April average. Winter rye, like wheat, has advanced nearly two points since last month. The average condition of winter barley is 94, against 62.3 in the month of May, 1894. The condition of spring pasture is 99.7, of mowing lands 89.4. The proportion of spring plowing done May 1 is reported as 82.8 per cent, against 88.5 last year and 78.4 in 1893.

Big Property Changes Hands.

PROVIDENCE, May 11.—The biggest real estate deal ever made in Rhode Island was completed yesterday, when the Grosvenor estate in this city was sold for nearly $1,000,000, or at the rate of $30 a square foot. The purchasers were Boston capitalists, who will erect a 10-story building, covering 22,000 square feet, at a cost of $1,000,000. The sum of $25,000 was deposited yesterday as a forfeit, and the balance will be paid within three days.

New Force on Duty.

PORTLAND, May 11.—The police muddle was brought to a close last night by the officers of the old force retiring by order of Mayor Berry. He sent a letter to City Marshal Rowe to deliver up all property belonging to the department to the police commissioners. Chief Engineer Marden has also delivered over the fire alarm keys to the new officers. The city is now guarded by the officers of the new force.

Property Holders Object.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., May 11.—Chancellor Rowell of the state supreme court has ordered the Brattleboro Street Railway company to show cause, if any, why an injunction should not be issued against the company according to the prayer of property holders, who dispute the right of the road to build a trolley line under their charter obtained from the legislature in 1883.

President Suspected of Crookedness.

DETROIT, May 11.—A suit, in which an accounting of the Michigan Mutual Life Insurance company and the removal of President Oscar Looker are prayed for, was begun here yesterday. The bill alleges that for 10 years past Looker has manipulated the company's business in his own interest and with intent to defraud the stockholders.

Wanted to "Slug" the Mayor.

CHICAGO, May 11.—In the mayor's office yesterday a discharged employe, Philip Chester, made a rush for the mayor, yelling all sorts of threats, but was overpowered by clerks. The noise frightened the people in city hall, and in the rush for safety several were knocked down and trampled upon. The mayor was unhurt.

Watching Mongolians.

BOSTON, May 11.—Orders were sent out by the treasury department yesterday to the various custom officers along the border calling for renewed efforts from the officials to prevent smuggling, and in particular the unlawful entry of Chinese, into the state.

Explosion and Fire.

NEW BEDFORD, May 11.—An explosion of chemicals in a dye house here started a lively blaze, which spread to three adjoining buildings. Loss, $9000. Louis Pihl was severely burned, but will recover. A fireman was slightly injured by a falling ladder.

Explosion and Death In a Coal Mine.

TRINIDAD, Colo., May 11.—An explosion of coal dust in Mine 10, near this place, resulted in the instant death of four men.

Government Will Fight For It.

PORTLAND, May 11.—In 1894 congress appropriated $19,000 to establish a light and fog signal station at Two Bush island. The island belongs to C. F. Guptill, who refuses to sell it for the price the government is willing to pay. The government has therefore begun condemnation proceedings against Guptill.

BANFFY SUSTAINED:

Emperor Francis Joseph Will Communicate With the Vatican.

BARON BANFFY.

VIENNA, May 11.—There is no danger now of an immediate crisis. Emperor Francis Joseph has decided that representations will be made to the Vatican in regard to the proceedings in Hungary of Mgr. Agliardi, the papal nuncio at Vienna, who went about the country denouncing the ecclesiastical bill. Baron Banffy, the Hungarian prime minister, who protested against the nuncio's course, will receive a high decoration.

Must Be Promptly Paid.

PARIS, May 11.—M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs, has invited the leading financiers to meet to consider the impending Chinese loan, the ways in which the bourse might co-operate and the conditions on which French capital might participate. Russia, France and Germany, in return for Japan's pliancy in acceding to their demands, practically engaged to hasten, if not ensure, the punctual payment of the war indemnity. It will not be surprising if the loan should be £100,000,000 sterling.

'Twas a Short One.

LONDON, May 11.—Jem Smith and Ted Pritchard fought last night for the heavyweight championship of England, £200 a side and a purse. The decision was to be given to the best man in 20 rounds. In the second round Smith got in a severe blow on Pritchard's body, and soon knocked him out of the ring. Pritchard was unable to respond to the call of time and the fight was awarded to Smith.

Duty on Beer Restored.

LONDON, May 11.—The house of commons adopted the proposal made by the chancellor of the exchequer reimposing a duty of 6 pence a gallon on beer, which will convert the estimated deficit of £310,000 into a surplus of of £181,000.

England May Be Heard From.

SHANGHAI, May 11.—France has formally protested against Japan annexing the island of Formosa, and has preferred a number of prior claims. It is regarded as certain that Great Britain will strongly resist France's claims.

Spain Was Interested In Formosa.

MADRID, May 11.—Spain's adhesion to the three powers that protested to Japan against the annexation of territory in Manchuria was promised only on condition that the powers induced Japan to abandon Formosa.

In Her Native Land.

BELGRADE, May 11.—Ex-Queen Nathalie arrived here yesterday, after having been in exile four years. She was met by her son, King Alexander and a vast and enthusiastic crowd.

Wilson at the Head.

LONDON, May 11.—The new board of directors of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada yesterday elected Charles R. Wilson president and Joseph Price vice president.

A Suspicious Death.

BROCKTON, May 11.—William Maher died Thursday after a sickness since Saturday last. There are some suspicious circumstances connected with his death, and the police authorities are investigating the case. It is learned that Maher went into the Tipperary district Friday afternoon last to visit friends, and while there got into a fight. There were severe scratches on his face as though made by finger nails. The doctor saw that erysipelas had set in and treated him for it. Maher grew worse and died Thursday.

Mills to Close Down.

PROVIDENCE, May 11.—All the Providence mills, from present indications, will close tonight for an indefinite period, unless the operatives consent to go to work at the old schedule within a very few days. Superintendent Ward of the Riverside mills said that the manufacturers had agreed not to open their mills on Monday unless the help came to work today, and that every mill stood ready to keep the agreement.

No Light on Missing Funds.

HARTFORD, May 11.—The little black box belonging to the late O. H. K. Risley of Willimantic was opened yesterday. It was supposed that the box contained some sensational evidence regarding the disposition of the large amount of money Cashier Risley was short in his connection with the First National bank. The box held a few securities, certificates of stock, etc., such as might be in any private box, but nothing in it threw any light on the missing bank funds.

For Alleged Breach of Contract.

NEW HAVEN, May 11.—Vernon Somers attached the box-office receipts and scenery of Miss Pardee last night in a suit to recover damages on a broken contract which she made, as he alleges, with him to play in her show of "Bobby Melville of London," which was first presented here last night. Tw deputy sheriffs are in charge of the receipts. There was a crowded house.

Sensation Discredited.

NEW YORK, May 11.—A report that Perry Belmont is at present in Paris and is about to be married to an American lady recently divorced in this country, who is also there, is entirely without foundation.

Varnish Plant Burned.

AKRON, O., May 11.—Fire started from an explosion in the chemical department at the Imperial Varnish company's plant yesterday, and the entire plant was ruined. The loss will reach $60,000.

Ten Per Cent Advance.

WHEELING, May 11.—Four thousand steel workers employed in the Riverside and Wheeling, Belmont and Top mills are to be given an increase in wages averaging 10 per cent.

Two Men Badly Burned.

FALL RIVER, May 11.—Fire from an explosion of naphtha in Mrs. Monarch's dye house slightly damaged the place, but Walter Monarch and Joseph Norton were badly burned.

Two Firebugs.

WISCASSET, Me., May 11.—Grant Lewis and Willie Poor were yesterday convicted of burning the summer residence of Dr. J. W. Toward, near Boothbay.

Got Out of the Way.

NEWBURYPORT, May 11.—The grand jury yesterday indicted Nayhen Cohen for arson. Cohen's tailor shop in Lynn was burned, and the circumstances led the police to issue a warrant for Cohen's arrest. He left Lynn at the time, however, and his whereabouts are unknown.

THE TIDE TURNS

Business Prosperity Now Evident Abroad.

SPECIAL ACTIVITY IN THE FOOD PRODUCTS.

Still Higher Prices For Metals and Leather.

The event of the week is the demoralization of foreign exchange, caused by enormous sales of bonds.

Besides a sale of $10,000,000 Manhattan and other railroad bonds through the syndicate, large purchases on foreign account have been recorded for some weeks, so that the aggregate probably exceeds $50,000,000 since the sale of governments. Safety for the summer means much for all business, and the syndicate deems it so fully assured that it distributed 40 per cent of the money advanced by the associates, which relieves a large amount to stimulate operations in securities and products.

Crop prospects also have greatly improved, and this is of still higher importance, as it will do much to determine the character and volume of all business after summer uncertainties are over. In addition, business is reviving, though the gain in great industries is retarded by many strikes.

Wheat and Pork Products.

Sales of wheat for the week have been 54,000,000 bushels. Thursday brought new activity. Wheat had fallen 2½ cents, but rose 2 cents that day. Western receipts were 1,667,169 bushels, against 1,261,764 last year, and Atlantic exports, flour included, 1,615,051 bushels, against 2,214,041 last year. In three weeks since the rise in wheat these exports have been 5,160,121 bushels, against 7,849,971 last year.

Pork has fallen 25 cents a barrel, lard 20 and hogs 30 cents per 100 pounds.

Cotton is lower, and receipts, in spite of familiar predictions of a great decline, still exceed those of 1892.

Labor Troubles.

The industries were distinctly gaining when strikes began, which have spread quite widely. Garment workers in several cities and Pocahontas coke workers are still out, with several thousand woolen workers near Providence. Other woolen mills, and the furnaces in the Shenandoah and Mahoning valleys, which were making 25,000 tons a week, have stopped, and the Illinois steel works, the largest western concern, so that works are directly affected which produced 23 per cent of the entire output April 1. The Amalgamated association also proposes a struggle over the new wage scale.

The Metal Markets.

The output of iron still exceeds the consumption, but has fallen 1578 tons weekly in April to 156,554 May 1. Bessemer pig has been raised to $1.00 at Pittsburg, and the general demand for finished products does not equal the recent output, but is distinctly increasing; bars and sheets selling more largely, though structural specifications are disappointingly slow.

Tin has been raised to 14.4 cents and copper to 10⅛ by increasing demand.

Advance In Leather.

Hides are in demand at 8¾ cents for western buff, and consequently leather still advances—oil and plow grain ½ cent and hemlock sole 1 cent. In consequence, many makers of shoes are refusing to take orders, being unable to get the prices which will cover past advances and others liable to come. But shipments from Boston continue larger than in any previous year.

Sales of wool for the week are less than in 1893, but larger than in the past two years, though prices do not rise.

Woolens and Cottons.

Rather more demand appears for men's woolens, but cancellations are also more numerous, and imports of woolen goods, with withdrawals from warehouses, were about $19,000,000 in the first quarter of the year, against about $5,000,000 last year.

Cotton goods continue strong, mills being well employed, and they hold heavier stocks than ever of raw cotton bought at low prices.

Business Failures.

The failures this week have been 227 in the United States, against 206 last year.

Canada's Good Showing.

Bradstreet's says: General trade reports from the Canadian Dominion are exceptionally favorable. Toronto reports that advances in cotton, sugar, leather and wheat have increased demand, helped collections and created a buoyant feeling.

The opening of navigation at Montreal and advances in sugar and whisky, due to tariff changes, are additional factors. Quebec city shoe manufacturers are doing a good business. Nova Scotia and New Brunswick report a fair volume of trade and Newfoundland a successful seal fishery. Bank clearings at Winnipeg, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and Halifax equal $31,448,000 this week, a gain of about 16 per cent over last week.

The total of 27 business failures in Canada this week is contrasted with 36 last week.

Milkmen Paid Hush Money.

LYNN, May 11.—Samuel Eaton was arrested last night on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses from Edward Hall, a milkman. Hall states that Eaton stated that he represented the board of health, and that he had tested Hall's milk and found it bad. For $20 he offered to suppress the alleged report. Hall paid the $20, and afterward found that Eaton was not connected with the board of health.

Reached Port All Right.

HALIFAX, May 11.—Steamer Halifax City arrived from London yesterday. Captain Newton says he has not met such gales for 18 months. The steamer has a lot of shells and ammunition in her hold, and the pitching broke them loose, causing considerable anxiety, but they are all right.

Worried Over Fires.

RICHMOND, Me., May 11.—Citizens of this town have awakened to the belief that there is an industrious firebug in the town. Four fires of the last three weeks have been of a mysterious character. State detectives have the matter in charge.

Defender's Crew Practicing.

BRISTOL, R. I., May 11.—The yacht Colonia, from New York, with Captain Hank Haff and crew on board, cast anchor in the harbor last night. Captain Haff and crew will practice on the Colonia until the Defender is launched.

175 Babies Photographed.

Wednesday was babies' day at Freeman's photographic studio, and 175 little tots had their pictures taken. Mr. Freeman wishes to announce that the pictures will be ready for delivery on the 15th inst. Each baby will be presented with one finely finished cabinet free of charge.

He'll sail the ocean blue. Who? The most popular gentleman in Lowell.

AMERICANS' OPPORTUNITY.

Manufacturers Likely to Receive Profitable Orders From the Orient.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Large opportunities for the introduction of American machinery and the investment of American capital are offered by the peace agreement Japan just effected with China. A provision is made that China shall hereafter be open to the introduction of all forms of modern machinery, and that such machinery shall be admitted free of duty.

American cotton machinery should benefit especially from the new opening presented, and also telephones, electric lights, printing presses and many other devices of civilization which heretofore have been kept out of China. The Emperor of China has heretofore prohibited the introduction of modern machinery. As a result, the Chinese are using wooden plows, similar to those used centuries ago. Modern tools are included under the head of machinery and mechanical devices, so that the American plow and all other implements and tools will enter China free of duty. It is said that cotton machinery will be brought at once into extensive use, thus enlarging the demand for the cotton of our southern states.

The Chinese use so much cotton that the emperor granted a monopoly of using cotton machinery to the viceroy of the southern provinces of China. He has since produced large quantities and has prevented the British and Americans at Shanghai and elsewhere from using similar machinery. Now, however, the viceroy's monopoly is at an end.

Traynor Re-elected President.

MILWAUKEE, May 11.—The A. P. A. convention elected supreme officers as follows: W. H. J. Traynor, Detroit, president; Judge J. H. Jackson, Fort Worth, Tex., vice president; E. H. Dubar, Boston, secretary of state; J. M. Taulbee, Covington, Ky., chaplain; C. T. Beatty, Detroit, secretary; F. C. Campbell, Minneapolis, treasurer. The report of the committee upon an international declaration of principles and the extension of the order to any and all the countries of the world was adopted unanimously. The organization will thus become international and will have supervision over the various bodies of the world. The platform of the order, as adopted and promulgated at the annual session a year ago at Des Moines, was reaffirmed as the principles of the organization, no changes being made.

England to Newfoundland.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., May 11.—Governor O'Brien has received dispatches from England, intimating that the imperial ministry is willing to give favorable consideration to certain suggested conclusions on the part of Great Britain toward consummating the union of Newfoundland and Canada, provided that the Newfoundland government party would guarantee to pass a measure settling the French shore question satisfactorily to Great Britain and France. The Whiteway party will probably agree as required.

Shot In the Head.

NASHUA, May 11.—Joseph Deshanue's children were playing on Worcester street when Leon Tarren came along and got into some trouble with them. He began to cuff them when Deshanue objected. Tarron drew a revolver and deliberately fired two shots at the father of the children, one of which entered his head just above his right eye and was embedded in the forehead. Later it was extracted at the hospital. Tarron escaped.

Will Frances Confirm the Story?

CHICAGO, May 11.—A story is floating around in women's temperance circles to the effect that Miss Frances Willard may be led to the altar before autumn. The gentleman in the case is alluded to as "an Englishmen of wealth and position and of prominence in reform work across the water." Miss Willard is now in England. She will pay a flying visit to this country in October and return abroad.

May Come Off In Virginia.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—An evening paper is authority for the statement that members of Duval Athletic club of Jacksonville, Fla., have been looking over ground in various states where the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill could best take place and finally have selected a location at Carlin Springs, Va.

Finding Plenty to Do.

AUGUSTA, May 11.—The work in the office of the state inspectors of factories and workshops has so increased that Governor Cleaves yesterday assigned J. S. Bowdon to duty as assistant to State Inspector Chalk.

Will Have to Sue to Get Advance.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 11.—The deadlock over the school teachers' salaries has been broken, the city auditor approving the payroll. The same salaries the teachers were receiving before the increase was voted by the school board. If the teachers want to get an advance they must sue the city for the difference.

Corporation Pleads Not Guilty.

BROOKLYN, May 11.—Ex-Judge Morris appeared before Judge Moore yesterday and entered a plea of not guilty in behalf of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company, which was indicted for manslaughter for the death of Mary Medinger. The trial was set for June 8.

Report Was Untrue.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—Chairman Gideon of the racing board of the League of American Wheelmen states that John S. Johnson has not been declared a professional, and that no action whatever has yet been taken in Johnson's case.

Board Broke His Neck.

BAR HARBOR, Me., May 11.—John Haynes, a mason, was hit by a board which fell from a derrick, and his neck was broken. He died in about 10 minutes.

Sixteen Dives Raided.

NASHUA, May 11.—City Marshal Eaton made another wholesale onslaught upon the saloons and dives of the city last night. Sixteen were raided.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The revolution is spreading in Ecuador.

Thermometer ranged from 93 to 95 at Augusta yesterday.

Excessive heat in western states has proved beneficial to crops.

Arlington hotel, Montrose, Colo., was burned. One man perished.

Stockholders of the Boston Beer company wish to examine the books of the concern.

The 20th anniversary of Edwin Libby Post, Grand Army, was celebrated at Rockland, Me.

The Dead river (Me.) lumber drive is progressing finely and will reach the Kennebec June 1, if not earlier.

Robert Sherard, a newspaper correspondent at Paris, obtained damages for slander from a British consul.

W. S. Coffin, who claims to live in New York city, was arrested at Boston on the charge of passing forged checks.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

Trouble Tided Over.

AMESBURY, Mass., May 11.—A settlement was effected yesterday between the striking operatives of the American Hat company by the concession on the part of the company to an increase in wages, although not so great a one as was at first demanded.

Du Maurier to Visit Us.

BOSTON, May 11.—A cablegram received in this city announces that Du Maurier, author of "Trilby," will sail for America within a few days to settle the disputes over copyrights and the rights to dramatize his novel, claimed by rival play producers.

Wheelman Wahl's Feat.

PUEBLO, Colo., May 11.—L. C. Wahl of Colorado Springs broke the world's 50-mile road bicycle record yesterday, riding the distance in 2h. 16m. The previous American record for 50 miles was 2h. 30m. 40s.

Another Start.

SOLON, Me., May 11.—The Kennebec drive, which has been hung up here for several days, was again started over the falls yesterday, and a large number of extra men are employed on the work of getting them down river. A heavy rain is necessary to get the short crop to the mills.

Water Works Notice.

Attention is called to the following extracts from the City Ordinances:

"The use of water through hose shall be limited to one hour per day,

And is prohibited on the public streets between the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p. m, excepting one hour at mid day, between 12.30 and 1.30 p. m."

Also: "The occupant of any premises where any waste of water occurs shall be liable to fine and have water shut off from premises."

These rules will be strictly enforced, and all employes of the Water Department will report any infringements coming under their notice. The city is now being furnished with water from the driven wells, and it is desirous to keep up the supply and not return to the river water.

MILES F. BRENNAN,
President Lowell Water Board.

Lowell, May 11, 1895.

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Winter Arrangement.

WESTERN DIVISION

Commencing Sept. 30, 1894.

TRAINS LEAVE CENTRAL STREET DEPOT, LOWELL.

For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.30, 10.30 a. m.; 12.05 12.45, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 3.30, 6.30, 10.50, a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 3.30, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.10, 5.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Sco co and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.45 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays). SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.00 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick and Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones at Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

Southern Division.

On and After Sept. 30, 1894, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:—

For Boston,—5.45, 6.30, ¶8.50, *7.45, *8.50, *9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, ¶3.00, 4.30, *5.40, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston.—5.48, 6.34, ¶6.53, *7.01, *7.18, *7.21, *7.48, *8.57, 9.03 *9.50, 11.03, 12.00a. m., 1.43, ¶3.03, 4.02, 4.33, *5.21, ¶5.42, *6.28, *7.52 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.18, 7.27, 8.05, *9.16 a. m.; ¶4.25, ¶6.03 p. m.

For Woburn, ¶7.01, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.30, 5.46 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., ¶4.25, 6.03 p.m.

*Express. ¶Northern Depot only. ‡Via Bedford.

For Lawrence — 6.30, 10.00, 2.10, 4.15, 5.50 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m.

☞Time below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—8.14 a. m.; 1.50, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—8.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, Antrim, Bennington and Hillsboro', 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.37 9.14 (Nashua only), 9.45, a.m.; 12.11, 1.50., 3.43, 5.42, 6.21, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.00, a.m. (to Nashua only), 3 a.m., 2.00, 5.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, 5.42, ¶6.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction—1.50 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; ¶8.43. p.m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, ¶8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; ¶8.43 p. m.

Quebec Express via White River Junction—5.13, p. m., daily except Sunday.

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Summer Corsets—Globe, 50c.; Thomson's, 75c.; Thomson, $1; Z. Z., $1.75. All alterations made in Corsets free of charge. Corsets fitted.

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Perhaps this is a little early to commence to think about what the graduation dress shall be made of. There are a great many materials to look at. Never have we been better supplied to cater to your wants than we are this season, and we know the prices will please you, as they are lower than previous years.

Plain Habutai, Plain China Silk, Cashmere, Plain India Silk, India Twill, Figured Habutai, Henrietta, Crepon, Engadine, Figured India, Lansdowne Lawns, Twills, Spotted Muslins, Plain Muslins, Swiss Muslins.

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When the lucky man is ready to return, he will be entitled to a first-class cabin passage on any Cunard steamer sailing from Liverpool or Queenstown, and on landing will be conveyed by train and carriage to his residence in Lowell.

The trip in all its details will be arranged by Mr. James F. O'Donnell, the popular steamship agent and livery man, corner of Worthen and Market streets. Mr. O'Donnell will be pleased to give full particulars and valuable suggestions to any gentleman who would like to make a European trip free of charge.

The gentleman receiving the highest number of votes on the above coupon clipped from THE DAILY SUN will be declared the winner.

Votes must be deposited at THE SUN office with the name and residence plainly marked thereon.

The top ballot only need be marked on a package of ballots (not over a thousand in a package) securely tied. The number claimed should also appear on the package and when found correct will be credited.

The polls will be open until nine o'clock on Saturday evening, June 1st, 1895. The winner will then have ample time to prepare for his voyage, and sail both ways during the most pleasant portion of the year.

Now then vote, vote early, vote often and vote for your friends.

The Honest Opinion

—OF—

An Honest Man

Is what we publish when we state what a well-known citizen said of

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR SATURDAY, MAY 11.

SUN RISES.....4 23 | MOON RISES...10 24 PM
SUN SETS.....6 54 | HIGH SEA ...12 30 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..14 24 | LOW SEA ...7 00 PM

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Increasing cloudiness and threatening weather; cooler; southerly winds.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; cooler; southerly winds, becoming variable.

LOCAL NEWS.

Vote.

Vote early and often.

Highland Council, Royal Arcanum, will observe its ninth anniversary May 23d.

Vote today. A good lead is everything in a voting contest. Get on top and stay there.

Agent Drury has a stray horse that was abandoned on Monday and was without food for 48 hours.

You can get an elegant souvenir picture of the Lowell base ball team at THE SUN office for one cent.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was Levi Cosman Hellburz 36 to Margaret Jones 37.

Yesterday afternoon J. E. Conant & Co., sold the Alice Donohoe estate, No. 59 Jewett street, to Murty Sullivan for $1202.

Chauncy Depew has declined the invitation of the republican city committee to be present at their annual banquet. His business engagements will not permit him to come here.

If you are in need of anything in the stationery line don't forget Lawler's mark down sale of papers and envelopes for one week only. Good writing paper only 15 cents a pound.

Chief Templar Atwood Allen of Pride of Lowell lodge, I. O. G. T., appointed standing committees last evening and E. S. Varney read a temperance essay on "Slippery Places."

New Hibernian Lodge Probable.

A hearing will be given by the County Board, to-morrow, of the A. O. H., upon an application for permission to form a new lodge of Hibernians. There is some opposition from the older lodges on the ground that a new division is not necessary; but the County Board will decide the question on its merits.

SOME TURF GOSSIP.

Since the erection of the new grand stand at the Fair grounds, and the remodelling of Wannalancit park by Frank Harris, horse trotting has taken quite a boom in Lowell and some good races may be seen here this summer. May be seen, is the expression.

I talked with a Woburn horse owner who has hired stalls at the Fair Grounds, Tuesday, and he informed me that with a little sprinkling, the track would be in fine condition. This man, whose name I believe is Gray, has as pretty a yearling as has been seen on those grounds and it is of fine stock. He also has a number of fast ones here and in Woburn, and believes that there will be good racing here, this summer.

Speaking of the track on the Fair Grounds, a horse owner said to me yesterda. "I saw a horse in the 40 class, on the Fair Grounds a few years ago, apparently unable to strike a faster clip. A few weeks after I saw the same horse do a mile in 10 1-5 at Mystic.

Just at present the local horsemen are wondering which play will pull off the Brooklyn handicap which occurs soon. A number of local sports will go on to see the race.

While talking "horse" with a party of gentleman who had seen numerous races, not long ago, I heard a story told by "Isaac" Mahoney and had I not known that "Isaac" prides himself on his reputation as a truthful man I would have been certain that he and I had seen the same race, though his story came from a New York race track three years ago, while I had seen almost the identical incident happen at a Kentucky fair. Mr. Mahoney's was as follows: "One of the cleverest drivers I have ever seen was a young fellow who was behind a fast horse in a race at New York a few years ago. He had won two heats out of four and his money was being wagered on the out come of the final heat, and by the way a horse was tied with this one for first money. They were driving in pneumatic tired sulkies and the two previous heat winners were at the front all the way round. As they came on the stretch, the wheel on the sulky driven by the man referred to, bent under the axle making a finish apparently impossible.

But the accident didn't bother the driver for in a flash, he was way over on one side throwing his entire weight on the unbroken side of the sulky, this holding up the broken end. The animal kept right along without a break and went under the wire, first by a neck, having lost three or four lengths by the mishap.

The similar incident happened at a county fair in Kentucky last summer, and the writer saw it happen, on one of the hottest days he ever knew.

This race was free for all and the first, two heats were better than 25. The third and fourth were slower, 30 flat being the mark on the last. Then came the final with three horses having got first, one of them who afterwards got first money, having two firsts to his credit. These three were bunched in the last heat with the winner slightly in the lead. At the stretch the wheel on one of the sulkies bent under striking its horse's hind hoof as the animal went along. In an instant, the driver was on the hores back, reins in hand and as he came in under the wire without a break, for second money, the entire attendance arose en masses and yelled like fiends.

EUROPEAN TRIP CONTEST.

Another Lagrange street candidate improves his standing in the contest, for M. J. Horan goes up from 700 to 1359. R. H. Harkins, the well known cigar manufacturer, goes up to 304 this morning. Send in your votes.

John F. Monaghan, Lowell Bleachery.	13,663
P. O'Rourke, 1 Lagrange street	9306
Michael P. Regan, Gorham & Union sts.	8893
John J. Henley, Suffolk street, baker.	8010
John R. Clancy, 90 Crosby st	3626
Charles Ablitt, 14 Andrew St	3412
J. T. Whittaker, Congress St	2447
John Hughes, Y. M. C. I., A. O. H.	1824
M. J. Horan 13 Lagrange street	1359
Thomas McCaffrey, 21 Bartlett street	710
M. J. Horan, 13 Lagrange	700
James McDonald, 1 Wall street	573
John F. Tarsey, 39 Pleasant st	557
Joseph Ashworth, 76 Chamberes street	525
M. R. Donovan, 124 Gorham street	353
Mr. Finnegan, 31 Kidder street	352
R. H. Harkins, Cigar Mfg	304
W. R. Kennedy, 57 Willow street	291
Owen Tighe, 548 Gorham st	260
Michael F. O'Brien, 807 Market street	240
James McCarron, 44 Gorham street	139
W. Booth, E. Merrimack street	108
John McLaughlin, 47 Humphrey st	86
John J. Leary, 8 Lewis street	70
John Doherty, 85 Beach street	68
Fred Edgell, 249 High st	65
John Boyle, 23 Read street	50
Fred A. Hennessey, 60 Concord street	37
M. J. Lynch, 46 Second avenue	35
Harry Mills, 44 Lilly Ave	32
Thomas Meers, Putnam Market	32
L. Decker, 1096 Bridge street	32
John Muldoon, 7 Chase street	30
George E. Putnam, 26 Read street	30
M. Shanley, 36 Lawrence street	30
Edw. A. Salmon, School st	30
Christopher Whalen, Adams street	27
Walter V. Hickey, pres. M. T. I.	23

See ballot on third page.

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Vote now.

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T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan bl'd.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

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E. G. Parker will cut the price on coal right and left for the next ten days. See add.

John Murphy of this city is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Sullivan, of Haverhill.

Today is quarter day at the Washington Savings Bank.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Agent Drury arrested a 17 year old girl yesterday on the charge of leading a disorderly life.

THE SUN has a few more of those elegant souvenir pictures of the Lowells left. Call and get one.

E—% Terms of payments on furniture, carpets and ranges at A. E. O'Hair & Co., opposite old post office.

No gentleman is popular unless the ladies say so. Ladies, vote for the man of your choice and he will carry off the prize.

"Joe,s" closing social will take place at Prescott hall, (Runels' building) next Thursday evening. Music, Hibbard's orchestra.

Ivon Oxide paint, ready for use, six shades, cheap and good, cannot be excelled for durability; sold only at Coburn's, Market street.

Fire in the woods in the easterly portion of Chelmsford yesterday burned over 40 acres of light wood land belonging to Daniel Gage. Several houses were threatened, but were saved.

Notice.

We are selling wall papers at lowest prices. Our window shades are made and hung by Mr. Smith J. Adams. Pictures framed to order at very low prices. Bring in your pictures and see. H. C. McOsker, 123 Central street.

High School Class.

The High school class of '95, met after school yesterday and elected the following officers: President, Arthur Spaulding; vice president, Miss Bessie Coburn; treasurer, Edward F. Russell; secretary, Miss Hortense Tabor; sergeant-at-arms, Harry Pearson.

Hospital Aid Association.

A branch of the working People's Aid association will be organized one week from Monday.

It will include the operatives of the Tremont & Suffolk mills. The preliminary steps were taken at a meeting held in the board of trade rooms, last evening, and besides a number of operatives of the Tremont & Suffolk there were present Thomas Collins, Albert C. Richardson, Luke B. Taylor, Joseph Cox and Miss Nellie O'Brien of the Carpet mills, all of whom spoke in favor of the proposition to organize. A representative of St. John's hospital also said a few words, and the following committee was appointed to interest the operatives of the Tremont & Suffolk: M. H. Gaynor, Louis Gaynor, Lemon Gaynor, Leon Camille, Peter Gilbert, Louis Trudil, M. J. Lowe, Frank Lynnan, J. J. Ryan, Patrick F. Sexton and M. J. Flynn.

Another meeting will be held one week from Monday.

Hosford Base Ball Amenities.

A very enjoyable party was held in Associate hall, last evening, under the auspices of the Hosford Base Ball club. About 125 couples were present, and despite the warm weather, they seemed to enjoy the dancing. During the evening, lemonade was served to those present. The order contained 27 numbers, and music was furnished by the American orchestra.

The officers were: General manager, John F. McNabb; assistant, Michael A. Cuff; floor director, George E. Schernerhorn; assistant, William J. Collins; aids, Michael F. Hogan, chief, John J. Driscoll, Edward J. Walsh, James H. Morris, Frank R. Brown, William B. Price, Fred H. Schermerhorn, Michael F. Groves, John J. Irvin, Patrick F. Noonan, Edward F. Martin, Charles L. LeClair.

Reception committee—Fred Grendon, chairman, John F. Kelley, William F. Eagan, Thomas E. Bertrain, Arthur E. Hamel, Charles F. McManus, Timothy A. Naud, George L. Adams, Timothy E. Flynn, Wm. A. Smith, treasurer.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

Four drunks were released this morning.

There were 12 in all.

George McKenna got six months in the workhouse and Clarence F. Bragdon got five months.

Mary Roulja was sent to the workhouse for five months.

James McGrade goes to the workhouse for eight months.

A very pretty and respectable appearing young girl was in court this morning on the charge of being a stubborn child. She was placed on probation.

THEY'VE GONE TO BOSTON

Perhaps to Get a Writ of Mandamus From the Supreme Court.

Mayor Courtney and City Solicitor Hogan left for Boston this morning.

Just what is the object of their visit could not be learned but around city hall it was stated that they went down to see about having a writ of mandamus issued to compel the republican councilmen to go into meetings.

At City Solicitor Hogan's nothing could be learned only that the solicitor went to Boston.

City Messenger Cahill said that Mayor Courtney also went to Boston, but as to the purpose of his visit he knew nothing and had nothing to say.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Remains of Veterans in Pauper Graves to to be Removed.

Arrangements are very nearly completed for the Memorial day observance.

A meeting of the committee was held in Post 42 G. A. R., hall, last evening, and Comrade Boies submitted a report, showing that last year 915 graves were decorated and this year the number will reach 947. During the year 6 members of Post 120, 5 of Post 42, and 7 of Post 185 have died.

Comrades Welch of 42, Boies of 120, Fish of 185 were appointed a committee to see that bodies of soldiers buried in pauper graves are removed to proper lots and also to see whether a soldiers' lot could be obtained in the Edson cemetery.

Latest Styles, Newest Weaves.

Louis Alexander, importer and tailor, 65 Central street, has received his new spring and summer suitings, in all the latest shades and makes. A more exclusive stock of the right and elegant isn't to be found.

A Big Line of Specials.

We have made arrangements to give away with our high grade teas a big line of new special presents. See samples in our windows. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealer., 68 Merrimack street.

J. E. CONANT & CO.'S SALES

FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 18TH.

Sales Peremptory—Rain or Shine.

Monday.

A splendid building lot at the corner of Middlesex street and Livingston avenue, Ward Four. To the highest bidder, no limit, no reserve, rain or shine. Promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell one of the choicest and finest lots of land in Ward Four at public auction. The lot has a frontage of 150 feet on Middlesex street, 150 feet on Livington avenue; is up above the street; has a fine grove of shade trees; a beautiful line of elm trees in front; a granite foundation already in for both house and stable; is opposite the residence of the Hon. Francis Jewett and the excellent new residence of Mr. Charles Clapp, and contains nearly 23,000 square feet of land. It will be sold subject to the 20 year restrictions placed on every lot of land sold on the Livingstone estate, namely: Only one set of buildings to be erected on the premises and they not to be occupied by more than two families; no buildings to be erected nearer than 20 feet of Middlesex street, or 30 feet of Livingston avenue. No better opportunity for a nice residence, a comfortable home, or a handsome place has been offered in Lowell for several years. The neighburhood is first class; the restrictions prevent any objectionable features; the location is healthy, pleasant and attractive, convenient to reach, accessible to all portions of the city and just far enough away from business; and there's a very agreeable and satisfied feeling when you are on the lot. Livingston avenue is 50 feet wide, runs through the very best portion of the Livingston estate from Middlesex street to Princeton street and is destined to be one of the finest residential streets in Ward Four. Sale absolute, make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneers, J. E. Conant & Co. F. G. MITCHELL.

Tuesday, 3 P. M.

Guardian's sale by public auction of the John Carroll estate on Lakeview avenue, between Ennell and West streets. Two lots, French roof two tenement house, large stable, and 4835 square feet of land, numbered 610. Also cottage house and 4094 square feet of land, numbered 607. Promptly at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, regardless of the weather and on the premises, I shall sell by virtue of a license issued by the probate court for the county of Middlesex, the following parcels of real estate, to the highest bidders without the least limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever: Lot 1. French roof house of two tenements supplied with city water, sewerage, water closets, etc.; all in fair order and repair. Good stable for three horses, wagon room and store room. The lot has a frontage of 40 feet and a depth of 120 feet. Lot 2. Cottage house of 5 rooms with city water, sewerage, water closets, etc.; the lot is 40 feet wide and 170 feet deep. Here's a good property, in good renting condition, in a good locality; also a splendid chance for a man to own a good home, and be able to rent part of it, thereby getting a home and an income at the same time. Its situation is such that in the near future it must increase very perceptibly in value. The widow joins her dower in the sale.

MARY A. CARROLL, Guardian.

Tuesday, 4 P. M.

It's got to be sold! No matter what it brings! Owner to leave Lowell! An excellent modern house—a very nice home; on Wentworth avenue, next to the corner of Laurel street, and within two minutes' walk of the Nesmith street line of electric cars, and not far from the new school house on Sycamore street. On the premises and regardless of the weather, promptly at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, I shall absolutely sell without limit to the highest bidder the above located property. The house has 10 very pleasant and convenient rooms, also a fine hall, bath room, pantry, large unfinished attic, and cemented cellar; all heated by a splendid and simple hot-water system; it is in prime condition from top to bottom, inside and out; has all modern conveniences, also fireplaces, laundry and butler's pantry. The dining room has cabnets, china closets and linen chests all built in. Kitchen is large and there is a back entry. The arrangement and finish of the house is exceptionally good and very attractive. It can be said without fear of contradiction that there is no prettier, more comfortable, substantial or more desirable house of its size in Lowell, and it's got to be sold for just what it'll bring. The lot has 7200 square feet of land, with a frontage of 60 feet, is level, laid down to a lawn, with strawberry beds, currant and raspberry bushes, cherry, apple and pear trees, also several excellent shade trees. You can examine the premises at any time; the house will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. on day of sale. Sale positive. Take Nesmith street car past Fort Hill park to Laurel street, or it's a pleasant walk across from Andover street. House is numbered 358. MARY M. NEWCOMB.

Wednesday.

To the highest bidders! No limit! No reserve! Positively! Absolutely! The Wm. Kelley estate, Mt. Washington street. One of the handsomest places in Ward Five. High, sightly, desirable, pleasant. Promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and regardless of the weather, I shall positively sell to the highest bidders, without limit of any kind whatsoever, the following parcels of excellent real estate in the following order: Lot 1, mansion house of 14 rooms, large hall, also bath room, pantry, laundry, storerooms, shed and cellar, all heated by steam. There are five open fire-places, outside windows, screens, piazza, balconies, and modern conveniences. The house is in splendid order and condition inside and out; the rooms are large, high posted, pleasant and nicely finished. It is solid, substantial, and sound, and one of the coolest and most comfortable houses in Lowell. Stone stable for three horses and carriage house for as many carriages. The lot has 10,000 square feet of land with a frontage of 70 feet. Lots 2 and 3 adjoin each other. They also adjoin and are just south of lot 1, or nearer Varney street. The choice of the two lots will be offered with the privilege of taking both; they contain 5700 square feet of land each; have frontage of 40 feet each, and on the two are 25 healthy and thrifty fruit trees; also grape vines and bushes, shade trees and shrubbery. Lots 4 and 5 are level as a floor; have granite wall in front; are as desirable and attractive a pair of building lots as there are in this section of the city. They adjoin each other; they also adjoin and are north of lot 1, or nearer Bowers street; they contain 7000 square feet of land each and each has a frontage of 50 feet. The choice in the two will be offered with the privilege of taking both. The estate is well known; it's been one of the solid, substantial, and handsome "landmarks" in Lowell for a number of years. To get a part of it is to select a splendid and unusual spot to have a nice and comfortable home. You can see a plan of the premises at the office of the auctioneers; you can examine the premises at any time, and the house will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. on day of sale. FRANK F. KELLEY.

Thursday.

Executor's sale of three magnificent building sites in Belvidere. The D. C. Brown estate, Fairview street, between Belmont avenue and Fairmount street. The highest spot in Belvidere with the one exception of Fort Hill park, Thursday, May 16th, promptly at 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon, regardless of the weather and on the premises, I shall sell at public auction to the biggest bidders without the least limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever the parcel of real estate herewith described in one or more lots as bidders shall decide at the sale. The entire area is 34,744 square feet, with a frontage of 225 feet. It is divided by a survey into three lots of about 11,500 square feet each having equal frontages of 75 feet. The choice of the three lots will be offered by the square foot with the privilege of taking two lots or the whole. The land has a granite wall on the entire street frontage, is up and above the street, and rises from the wall by a sloping grade to the present position of the house occupied by the late Mr. Brown: it is excellently laid out and graded; is down to a lawn; has an abundance of fruit trees, also several shade trees. The lot on the corner of Belmont avenue and Fairview street, formerly a part of the estate, and now adjoining it, was sold about a year ago to Mr. R. F. Brazer. The view from the premises is unexcelled by any other spot in Lowell; you overlook the city and the surrounding country for miles and miles about. To fully realize its extent and wide scope you must go on to the premises and see it yourself. It cannot be properly described in an advertisement. You can partially form an opinion when you are informed that the premises are almost on a level with the clock in the city hall tower. To speak of the neighborhood is to refer to one of the finest residential portion of Lowell; three of the most elegant estates in the city are nearly opposite, namely: the stone mansion of Mr. Frederic Faulkner and the home of Mr. A. G. Cummock and Mr. John A. Faulkner. The sale of the house will follow directly after the sale of the land and of course it will be optional with the purchaser to remove it or place it on any one of the lots should he buy one. The house was built by the day by Mr. George W. Pearson and is undoubtedly one of the most substantial and thoroughly constructed houses in the city, although slightly out of repair on the outside from lack of paint and a little carpentry. Inside it is in good shape, convenient, and has modern improvements. Plan of the premises at office of auctioneers, where all inquiries should be made. House open for inspection after 10 a. m. on day of sale.

S. P. GRIFFIN,
Executor of the will of Margaret Brown.

Friday, 4 p. m.

Executor's and heirs' sale by public auction of the Elvira Twitchell estate, No. 815 Moody street, or between Suffolk and Race streets. Two-story French roof tweenement house and 1325 square feet of land. Friday, May 17th, promptly at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and regardless of the weather, I shall sell to the highest bidder; no limit; no reserve; the French roof house of 11 rooms, divided into two complete tenements and supplied with city water and sewerage. The lot has a frontage of 25 feet and a depth of 53 feet and the use of the passageway on the westerly side. The property rents for $25 a month, is always occupied, and the rent comes regularly every month. The sale will be absolute and will take place rain or shine. Think of it, in the near future for a business site. It's growing more valuable every day. Moody street, with the new bridge completed, will be a most important throughfare and business mart.

HORACE ELA, Executor.

(Friday, 5 p. m.

The Carlos Bohonan estate, No. 91 Beech street, near the corner of Sixth street, Centralville. Square house of eight rooms, pantry, cemented cellar, large closets, city water, sewerage, water closet and gas. All in prime condition inside and out, very convenient, well arranged and well finished. Stable for three horses. Carriage house. Henery. The lot has 5600 square feet of land with a frontage of 56 feet; concrete driveway, ten choice fruit trees, grape vines, currant bushes, shrubbery, flower beds and nice lawn. Friday, May 17th, promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and regardless of the weather, I shall positively sell my place, located as above, without the least limit or reserve, to the highest bidder. It's a pretty, snug and very comfortable home, excellently located in a very pleasant part of the city, and certainly a splendid place for a family in moderate circumstances. With the extension of the street railway through Myrtle street, which will undoubtedly be done this year, the property will be within five minutes' walk of the electric cars. You can examine the premises at any time. Sale absolute, rain or shine.

CARLOS BOHONAN.

Saturday.

An excellent chance. A splendid opportunity. Twenty-five unusual building lots. On Middlesex street. The new state highway. (Princeton street.) Wood street. Cornell street. Columbia street. Colby street. No grading.—Flat.—Dry.—Handsome.—New school house in one corner of premises. Step into the auctioneer's office and get a small plan. Electric cars pass the lots every fifteen minutes. Commencing promptly at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, regardless of the weather, and without limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever we shall sell to the highest bidders twenty-five house lots that are certainly beyond question or argument very choice and selected building sites. The streets are graded and very level; are 40 and 50 feet wide; the sidewalks are laid; buildings on the lot will be restricted to a uniform distance from the street lines; only one set of buildings on a lot, no house to be occupied by more than two families. It is the intention of the present owners of this land to make this property one of the ideal residence sections of Lowell for families in moderate or comfortable circumstances to build first class homes in a respectable neighborhood; in an exceedingly healthy location; within easy distance of the city; on one of the most important thoroughfares running out of the city; and the new state highway, already ordered by the state highway commissioners, running across the premises, is to be the best laid out and made avenue in Middlesex county. In the whole plot there are 80 lots, and every one when sold will be restricted alike; the restrictions to hold 20 years from 1895. The lots vary in size, but are uniform in shape, contain from 4600 to 10,000 square feet of land each, and frontages from 50 to 100 feet. It's more than 20 years since so desirable and attractive a sale of land has taken place in this part of Lowell. The land we offer has been in one family since 1807; there's many an attempt been made to secure some of it, but until now could not be purchased at any price. Purchasers, if they desire, can leave two-thirds of the purchase money on mortgage. One word to the public. This is the year to buy real estate. The above lots can never be worth any less. As a matter of fact they will soon be much more valuable; if from no other cause than the natural course of events; better than that, though, is the undisputable fact that as soon as a few of the lots are built upon the others will soon go up in price. The lots will bear the closest scrutiny and examination; and the more you look them over and into the matter of purchasing one, the more you are convinced of their desirability and attractive qualities for a comfortable home. Lowell from the very beginning has made its most substantial and healthy growth in this direction, and, with the new state highway decided upon, the prospects are greater and better than ever. There are already three new and modern houses on the land. H. E. SHAW,
G. W. PEARSON.

State Census Returns.

It is expected that the returns on the state census will be handed in about Aug. 10th, and then can be compared the work of the local assessors with that of the state enumerators. Another interesting matter connected with the returns of the state authorities, is the fact that additional liquor licenses are to be granted. The different cities in the commonwealth will adopt the same plan, which it is said will be in accordance with an opinion from the attorney general, who is to be asked concerning this phase of the law.

It is expected that the result of the canvass in each city will be received by the license commissioners of the respective cities, some time in June.

Those Sulking Councilmen.

Those sulking councilmen in Lowell should cease their cry-baby tactics and get down to business. By refusing to attend meetings and answer to roll call they are rapidly making themselves the laughing stock of the state.—Lawrence Sun.

Right you are. The people of Lowell are disgusted with the action of those twelve republican councilmen.

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